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## BIG DAY

### Knights of Columbus Here In Large Numbers Sunday.

The Knights of Columbus will be here in large numbers Sunday to witness the initiation of a class of about fifty members. About forty of these will join the local lodge and about ten of the number will be from neighboring cities. The new class will almost double the membership of the local organization which now has forty-six members. The local people are making arrangements to care for about two hundred fifty visitors. A special train will be run from Vincennes, leaving "the Old Post" at 6:10 and arriving at Seymour shortly after nine o'clock. Three coaches will be brought from Bedford to bring the K. of C's from that city. About one hundred are expected from Bedford alone. Besides Bedford and Vincennes there will be crowds here from Washington, Shoals, Logoootee and many other towns and cities.

The Modern Woodmen Hall has been secured for the exercise and the banquet will be held in Society Hall.

All K. of C's will meet at the Modern Woodmen hall at 9:30 a. m. and then march to the St. Ambrose Catholic church where they will listen to a sermon by Father Burchett, of Cannelton. At 1 p. m. they will assemble in Modern Woodmen Hall for the work of initiation. The first degree will be given at 1:30 by the Indianapolis Council. At 3 o'clock the Indianapolis council will give the second degree. At 5:30 A. J. Padgett, district deputy and staff, of Washington, will confer the third degree. A banquet will be served in Society Hall at 8 p. m. John W. McCarty, of Washington will act as toastmaster. The banquet will be served by the lady friends of the council.

More than two hundred of the visitors are expected to arrive on the excursion train from Vincennes. Some of the members to be initiated into the order will come from Washington, and some from Logoootee and probably some others.

The K. of C. organization was instituted in Seymour June 9, 1907. There was a large number of visitors in this city and a class of about the same number was initiated at that time.

### School Picnic.

The picnic of the German Lutheran schools will be held at the city park on next Tuesday, June 23rd. There will be music by the military band and the day will be enlivened throughout. There will be numerous attractions of various kinds and a stand where all kinds of refreshments will be served. As announced previously, we understand this is to take the place of the picnic usually held by this school on the Fourth of July at the Hackman grove a mile west of the city. It will be a gala day, one that will be enjoyed by the old people as well as the young. A general invitation is extended to the public to come out and enjoy the day.

### Card Party.

Mrs. Frank J. Voss is entertaining a number of ladies at a card party this afternoon at their home corner of Fourth and Mill streets. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Voss' cousin, Miss Grimm, of Delphi, who has been here several days the guest of relatives.

### Boys In Brown.

The boys who are to give a play at the opera house next Tuesday night, had another rehearsal last night and are getting their parts down fine. Tickets are now on sale.

Mrs. Amanda L. White mother of Bert White left for St. Louis on No. 1 at noon today to visit her daughter Mrs. H. M. Schwing and other relatives. She was accompanied by Mrs. Melissa Schwing who goes to St. Louis to visit her daughter Miss Pearl Schwing.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Shields and daughter, accompanied by Mrs. McDonald and daughter, of Bedford, arrived from French Lick today noon. Dr. McDonald will come over from Bedford in the morning.

Rheumatism promptly driven from the blood with Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy. A test will surely tell. In tablet or liquid form. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

Tickets for the Boy in Brown are now on sale at Ross' shoe store.

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## DIED.

DIXON.—Warren Dixon, the little son of Joel Dixon, died this morning at 12:25, of brain fever at the home of his uncle, Peter Edrick, of Cincinnati. Age 6 years 3 months and 10 days. The little fellow has been sick since the death of his mother which occurred about four weeks ago. Mr. Dixon who was called to Cincinnati on account of the serious illness of his little son, returned here on No. 1 today and the remains will arrive on No. 1 Sunday and taken to Mr. Dixon's home at 324 E. High street, where the funeral will occur Sunday afternoon at two o'clock, conducted by the Rev. F. M. Huckleberry, pastor of the First Baptist church. Burial at the River-view cemetery.

### Expensive Squirrels.

The result of the trial at Vernon of Jesse Buckles and U. G. Miller of this city, for squirrel hunting over in Jennings county, makes the squirrels captured pretty expensive. The defendants were charged with having three squirrels each in their possession on a recent date and squirrels can not be legally hunted in Indiana until July 1. The law reads: "Whoever shoots or destroys or pursues for the purpose of shooting or destroying, or has in his possession any wild squirrel, from the first day of November of any year to the first day of July the succeeding year, shall, on conviction be fined ten dollars for each squirrel so shot, destroyed, pursued or had in his possession." Their trial was begun in circuit court at Vernon and a lot of Marion township farmers were there to testify for the state. The state produced such evidence that the defendants soon saw that their chance to come clear was very slight. The trial was halted and the attorneys and defendants talked matters over and an agreement was reached whereby each defendant was to plead guilty to having one squirrel in his possession. This done the injury was dismissed and the court fined each one of the defendants ten dollars and to this the costs, which were rather heavy, were added. The REPUBLICAN gets the information from Vernon that the costs amount to nearly \$200. If this is correct it indicates that hunting squirrels in Marion township, Jennings county, out of season is rather expensive.

### TERSE TELEGRAMS

Yesterday was the twenty-second anniversary of Secretary Taft's wedding. Favorable weather for harvesting in the Southwest had a weakening effect on the Chicago wheat market.

Preparations for fall trade are on a fairly liberal scale, testifying to confidence in the future, says Dun's review.

Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton shows a total of 2,828,971, against 2,972,067 last week.

Additional arrests of alleged Mexican revolutionists have been made at Nueva Casas Grandos, Mexico. Thirty are now in jail.

Business failures in the United States for the week number 254, which compares with 253 last week, and 165 in the like week in 1907.

Three miners were killed and several seriously burned from an explosion in a mine of the Pittsburg Coal company near Monongahela.

J. Pierpont Morgan expressed pleasure at the choice of Taft as the Republican nominee for the presidency. "It's good, good," Mr. Morgan said.

Buffalo won the head camp meeting of 1911 over Dallas, Tex., by vote of the delegates of the head camp of Modern Woodmen of America, in session at Peoria.

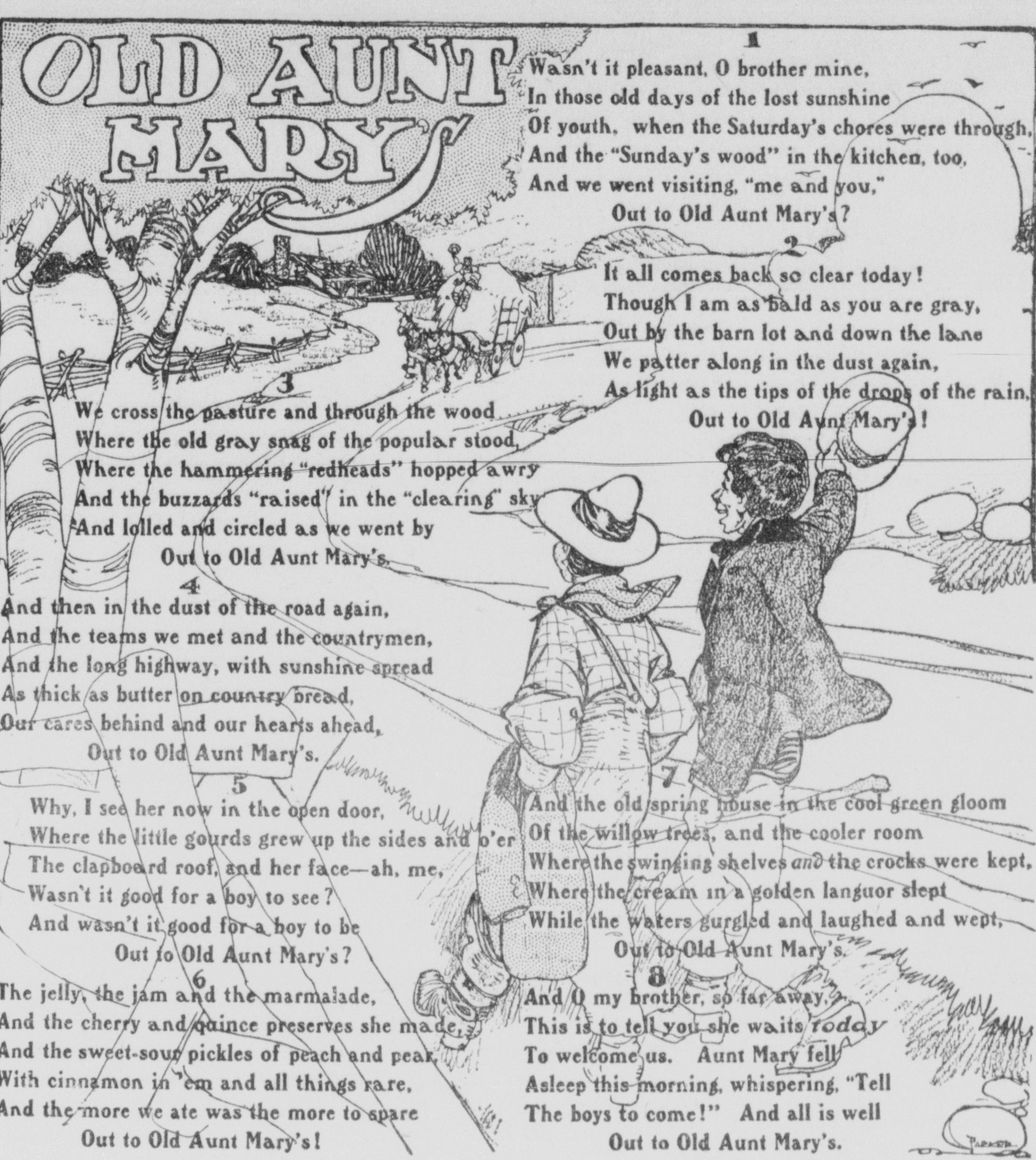
The London Daily Graphic describes Mr. Taft as an "American Dauphin," adding, "there is something Napoleonic about this creation of new dynastic legitimacy under the shadow of the Stars and Stripes."

### Saluting the Fox.

The custom of taking off the hat by way of salutation to a fox when you are not hunting him is probably merely a variation of an act of courtesy exchanged between men in more warlike days than these. The invaluable Brewer tells us that taking off the hat is a relic of the ancient custom of taking off the helmet when no danger is nigh. "A man takes off his hat to show that he dares to stand unarmed in your presence," the naval salute of discharging guns originally implied that as no danger existed no guns would be required, and the military fashion of presenting arms is said to be tantamount to offering to give them up. The fox that is surprised by pheasant shooters may not make his retreat less expeditiously because the shooters doff their hats to him, but this is how the custom arose.—Manchester Guardian.

Clarence Osterman, of Louisville, is here the guest of his uncle, Dr. A. G. Osterman, and family.

Strawberry and vanilla ice cream and lemon ice at Cordes'. Phone 110.



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### Children's Day Program.

The First Methodist Sunday School will observe Children's Day tomorrow and the following program will be given beginning at 10 a. m.: Song by School.....No. 64 Prayer.....Rev. Allen Chorus.....No. 16 Welcome.....Mary Brown A Flower's Message

Louise Saltmarsh Solo.....Flossie Collins Laugh a Little B.....Warren Cross Just Like This.....Primary Class Song.....Primary Class Twelve Daisies.....Girls Tick-Tock.....Boys Chorus.....No. 44 Some Sweet Way.....Thelma Basye Roses.....Three Girls Solo.....Loreta Bollinger Flowers and Grasses.....Three Girls Trio and Chorus If You Would Be Happy

Edith Trumbo He Loves Me So.....Primary Children A Smile is as Cheap as a Frown Anna Shields Solo.....Miss Mary Schmitt Address.....Rev. Allen Collection The Song of Nature.....Chorus

### First M. E. Church.

Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. At 10:00 a. m. the Sunday School will give its Children's day program. Epworth League at 6:30 and preaching at 7:30 p. m.

### First Baptist Church.

Bible school 9:15 a. m. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Divine worship 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject for the morning sermon, "Restoring the Erring." Subject for the evening, "Who is Responsible for the Open Saloon?"

### Central Christian Church.

Preaching both morning and evening tomorrow. All services at the usual hour, all members requested to be present at both services.

HARLEY JACKSON Minister.

### Presbyterian Services.

Preaching tomorrow at the usual hours. Morning Subject—"Christianity and Tears." Evening—"Life's great purpose." S. S. at 9:15. Christian Endeavor at 6:45. All are cordially invited.

### German M. E. Church.

There will be no Sunday School or church tomorrow, owing to the renovation now going on at the church.

H. KNAUFF, Pastor.

"Health Coffee" is the cleverest imitation of real coffee ever yet made. Dr. Shoop created it from pure parched grains, malt nuts, etc. Fine in flavor—is made in just one minute. No 20 or 30 minutes tedious boiling. Sample free. For sale by C. E. Abel.

### Another Report.

The fishing party that spent a week at the farm of Engineer Lawrence Dixon on White river near Ft. Ritner, states that the report of Friday did not do their outing justice. They claim to have caught more fish in the same length of time than any other camping party that has gone out from this city this year. Besides the small bunch of fish that came in on No. 4 Friday morning, the largest of which weighed about twelve pounds, about 150 pounds were shipped in by freight. The largest fish caught during the week was a twenty-two pound catfish and was used the day of the big fish fry when they entertained more than twenty people for dinner, including several railway men from Seymour. The fish caught during the time were all catfish except about fifty pounds of perch and other varieties. In the party were: O. D. Seelinger, Engineers Ed Boyles, R. J. Conley, John L. Williams, James Allen and Lawrence Dixon; Conductor Omer E. Henderson, Athos Gabard, Brakeman James Lester, Vincenzo Allegro and Buck Phillips. The party had about fifteen cots and were able to accommodate a few of their friends who might want to spend a day or two at the camp now and then. The outing was very pleasant and very successful in the amount of fish caught.

### Receptions.

The home of Mrs. Allen Swope, on N. Walnut street, was the scene of two beautiful receptions yesterday. In the afternoon the guests of honor who stood with Mrs. Swope in the receiving line, were Mrs. Clyde J. Roach, of Indianapolis, Miss Hazel Benson, of Robinson, Ill., and Miss Edna Swope, the charming daughter of the hostess. The floral appointments were pink and white sweet peas, and strings of smilax were artistically twined about the chandeliers. The refreshments were served in the dining room where the guests were conducted by Mrs. Seba A. Barnes. In the evening a porch reception was given by Miss Swope for her college friend Miss Benson, who is a student at Knickerbocker, of Indianapolis. The fourteen couple present were largely college students, who are home on their vacation. Among the out of town guests were Miss Ellen Kilburn, of Des Moines, Ia., Miss Benson of Robinson, Ill., Mr. Walter Hale of Crawfordsville, and Mr. Crabbe of Decatur, Ill.

### The Lightning Rod Man.

Ed Eldridge, who is an expert at putting up lightning rods, is doing some work in town now while the farmers are busy with their harvest. He has just completed rodding Geo. B. Russell's residence. He has other jobs ahead but is always ready to take on new ones.

Want Ads. in the REPUBLICAN Pay.

## TELEPHONE TALK

### New Company Already Stringing Some Wires.

Another car load of poles arrived here Thursday for the new telephone company and five more are on the way. All these are expected here within the next week. Arrangements have been made for an increased number of workmen and the poles will all be set as rapidly as possible. Some of the wire is being strung in the outskirts of the city. Most of the poles shipped in the first four car loads were short but the ones used in the center of the city will be longer.

The switchboard and central office equipment is about ready for shipment and is expected here within the next few weeks. By the time it is placed in position the poles will be up and the work of stringing the cables and wires will start out from the central office. There has been but little delay anywhere except with the parties who were to furnish the poles and now as these are arriving it is hoped that there will be no more delay worthy of note. Nothing will be left undone by Mr. Mitchell, the superintendent of construction, to push the work to completion as rapidly as possible. Some time was allowed for delays in giving the probable date when the line would be in operation, but the indications are now that everything else will be shipped on time and the system completed as soon as was anticipated.

### Fourth Of July.

Arrangements were announced some time ago to the effect that there would be a special train leaving Seymour on the morning of July Fourth about 6:45 to attend the celebration and the big Modern Woodmen log rolling at Bedford. There is a report now that there will also be a special train leaving this city for Bedford about the same hour each morning from July 1st to July 4th inclusive. It was hoped that a special rate could be secured for the Fourth but no announcement has yet been made to that effect. The regular fare is \$1.45 for the round trip. The matter of a lower fare has been taken up with the Southern Indiana and it is hoped that a rate at least as good as one and one half fare can be secured. This would make the fare \$1.11. The Woodmen think they should be allowed a fare of \$1.00 in which case it is thought that more than two hundred people will make arrangements to spend the day in the Stone City. There will be nothing doing in Seymour and there will be hundreds of people to go somewhere to spend the day. If the rate is made too much to Bedford the crowds will go in other directions. A \$1 rate has been mentioned to Vincennes and riding on the traction lines is cheap. There will probably be quite a number of Seymour people to attend the celebration at Houston and at Waymansville.

### Made Good Record.

Emerald Whitmer, who graduated a few days ago from the Western Military Academy at Upper Alton, Illinois, made a good record as a student. Though he lost considerable time both years he was there on account of trouble with his eyes he took high rank and because of that he was made a second lieutenant in the National Guards of the State of Illinois.

### Reddington Knights.

Reddington Lodge, No. 281, K. of P., will hold memorial exercises at Reddington tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. Elder J. M. Cross will deliver the address at the Christian church. All Knights are invited to take part in the exercise.

In one hour you may materially "improve your education" as to many useful subjects by reading the ads.

## Talcum Time

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HE TRIED A SUIT IN CHINA.

**American Lawyer Successfully Conducted Case Against a Native.**

An American lawyer in a Chinese court, trying a case against a Chinaman charged with theft and winning it before a Chinese tribunal, was the experience of Winfield Freeman, a lawyer of Kansas City, Kan., and former probate judge of Wyandotte county. Judge Freeman and Mrs. Freeman arrived recently after a trip around the world. They were gone fifteen months, according to the Kansas City Times.

"Mrs. Freeman and I were in Fuchau preparing to make a trip to Ku Cheng to visit the temples, when we ran across an American consul, Samuel Gracey," Judge Freeman explained. "Mr. Gracey was preparing to make a three days' trip to Ku Cheng to prosecute a criminal case. He learned that I was a lawyer, and then he asked me to save him the trip by acting as prosecutor in his place. I was pleased with the novelty of the thing, and agreed to go in his stead. After a three days' trip we landed at Ku Cheng. I went to the courthouse and there met the mandarin of the province, who is also the judge. He was a well-educated man and spoke excellent English. I gave him a note from the consul, saying that I would prosecute the case. He read the note and then gave me a day to prepare for trial.

"I found on inquiring into the case that a Chinese doctor had stolen a set of surgical instruments from the surgeon in charge of the Methodist hospital at Ku Cheng. When the case came to trial I discovered that both the judge and myself had been provided with interpreters. I was surprised to know the judge should have an interpreter, since the mandarins are all highly educated, but I found that the thief was from another province and spoke a tongue quite different from that in Ku Cheng, as English is from Chinese.

"Well," Judge Freeman said, "the case dragged along for two days. I cross-examined the witnesses through an interpreter, but made my plea before the judge in English. I won the case. The fellow was convicted of the theft and sent to jail. After the trial the judge invited Mrs. Freeman and me to dine at his home. We had a very enjoyable dinner, except for the fact that Mrs. Freeman could not converse with the judge's wife. I think that was the worst thing that ever happened to Mrs. Freeman. After dinner the judge gave me a beautiful spectacle case as a compliment, as he said, for my handling the case."

Judge Freeman and Mrs. Freeman were well received everywhere on the trip. Mrs. Freeman representing the Y. W. C. A. and Mr. Freeman the Methodist Episcopal Church of America. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman visited the Pope while in Rome.

"He's the finest looking man I saw on the trip," the judge said. "We talked to him about America for three hours."

**WHERE ANIMALS FEAR NOT.****Remarkable Intimacy Between Them and Man in Yellowstone Park.**

One of the most pleasant features of the drive through the Yellowstone National Park is the apparent intimacy between man and the animal and bird life in the park, says the Troy Times. Thanks to the wise and stringent regulations, no shooting is allowed within its boundaries. "The result," says an English tourist, "is positively charming. Hundreds of little chipmunks, with their gaudy striped backs, scamper impudently about or peer at the passing coach from the roadside. The squirrel did not bolt for the nearest tree, but nodded a welcome.

"All bird life treated us likewise. Even the lordly eagles hovered near and the wild turkey stalked unconcernedly through the rank grass. We perceived a doe and a fawn grazing by the road. Not until we were within a few feet did they seek the shelter of the woods, yet not to fly. They simply moved aside. Here at least mankind was regarded as a friend—one who could be trusted. The only animal who ran away was a grown bear. He turned tail at the sight of a coaching party, yet it was quite a common thing for bears to approach close to the hotels at evening to feed on the refuse thrown out. It was an after-dinner relaxation for the guests to watch them feeding. They munched and disputed the choicest morsels, for the most part indifferent to the company. Only when we became inquisitive and approached too near did they retire; and these animals were perfectly free and unfettered in their movements. It may read like a fairy tale, but it is solid fact."

**Ingenuity Rewarded.**

R. E. Blown, superintendent of the Louisiana State experiment station at New Orleans, keeps in touch with all the industries of the South, although the experiment station over which he presides is devoted largely to the development of the sugar industry. "There is one industry in our State," said Mr. Blown to a Washington correspondent, "that is making its owner a millionaire. We have an immense sulphur deposit that our people have

tried for years to operate, but without success. It was found beneath an enormous quicksand, and no one ever was able to overcome that obstacle. Finally this northern man came down and he mastered the problem by an ingenious plan. He sank three great tubes through the quicksand, one tube within the other. Through one tube he forces superheated steam into the sulphur deposit; through the other he obtains his exhaust, and he gets his sulphur through the intermediary pipe. This steam melts the sulphur and forces it as a molten liquid to the surface, where it is carried off to a suitable spot, and drained into an artificial pond, making a lake of solid sulphur after it becomes cold. As it comes from the earth this deposit is more than 98 per cent pure sulphur, so you can see what a valuable industry the ingenuity of this man has brought to him."

**DANCES OF THE "KANSAS."****Jackies of Battleship Allowed the Privilege of Good Conduct.**

With dancing on the battleships as the attraction Sunday, upward of 40,000 persons, young and old, visited League Island navy yard. It was the largest Sunday crowd in the navy yard for many years, says the Philadelphia North American.

Ministers of the city protested several weeks ago against football playing by the sailors in League Island navy yard, a letter being sent to Secretary of the Navy Victor H. Metcalf. There was little football playing there Sunday, being merely a little practice playing, and the dance was the feature of the day.

So great was the jam on the battleship Kansas, where the main dance of the afternoon was held, that at times it was impossible to ascend the gangplank and get within sight of the dancing floor, on the port side of the main deck.

The novelty of a Sunday dance on a battleship in Philadelphia was such that it seemed beyond belief to the young women friends of the Jackies. Dancing on Sunday is conditional upon the good behavior of the men of the ship during the week, as well as upon the conduct of visitors to the dance floor.

Until "two bells" sounded the dancing was kept up. Then, suddenly, the music stopped and the dancers hurried from the deck floor, the visitors scampering down the gangplank with a hasty good-bye to the sailor boys.

"Will you come again next Sunday?" the boys in blue shouted to their friends.

"Sure and certainly," was the cordial reply.

**Only Marked It Out.**

A lovelorn youth had quarreled with his ladylove, and with bitter, angry words they parted, and he decided that life was no longer worth living. Abruptly turning into a barber's he sat in a vacant chair and calmly requested the barber to cut his throat. The barber acquiesced, and tucking the cloth round his neck, fixed the head rest so that the customer's chin was well elevated. Then, drawing a stout pin from the corner of his waistcoat and holding it firmly between his finger and thumb, he drew the pin quickly across the neck of the man. Immediately, with a scream worthy of a red Indian, the despairing one leaped from the chair, shouting:

"Surely, surely you have not done it?"

"Oh, no, sir!" said the barber. "Sit down again, sir. I've only marked it out!"—Pearson's Weekly.

**"Fix Your Old Roof."**

Miles Finley, the rich Montana copper miner, visited some relatives in Bay City, Mich., recently. He attended services in an old wooden church, and while there a rainstorm came up. The roof leaked and some water fell on Finley's neck. After the services had ended he asked one of the church officials: "Why don't you give people a decent place to worship in?" "I suspect it's because we haven't the money," was the suggestive reply. Next afternoon material for a new roof began to arrive in front of the church and Finley walked into the pastor's study with a check for \$750. "Fix up your old roof," is all he said.—Evening Wisconsin.

**The Power of Mystery.**

"I can't afford to have people think I don't know about this particular question," said the politician, "and I haven't the time I need to read up on it."

"Well," replied his wife, "in that case I'll tell you what I'd do. I'd look wise and get some paper to announce that you decline to be interviewed."—Washington Star.

**Ingress and Egress.**

The Old Man—The easiest way to get into society is to marry for money. The Young Man—Suppose you are in society and want to get out?

The Old Man—Then marry for love.—Illustrated Bits.

**A Martyr.**

"Mamma, have I got to take a bath to-night?"

"I'm afraid you have, my dear."

"But I haven't done anything all the week to deserve it!"—New York Life.

A man's idea of a good memory is one that enables him to forget everything prejudicial to his own interests.

What does a woman with a drug store complexion do when she wants to make a bluff at blushing?

**RAM'S HORN BLASTS.****Warning Notes Calling the Wicked to Repentance.**

Christ is the Christian's Cannon.

No man can count the cost of a useless life.

Happiness is not in doing what you like, but in liking what you do.

Religious bigotry is as blind as a mole.

Crooked conduct makes a cross Christian.

Sin served ruins, but sin revealed reforms.

Man is but a seed, and the grace his furrow.

All true life is an altar, and every act a sacrifice.

Along the path of painful persistence we pass to perfection.

The best translation of the Bible is its translation into life.

Man may hide from justice, but he cannot hide from heaven.

It is the breath of heaven that makes fragrant the life of Christ.

The way of life is narrow, because there is only one leader, Christ.

The Word of God is valueless except it lead to the God of the Word.

Though but few walk the way of life, they can never be alone in it.

Truth printed on the page is not so potent as truth produced in person.

The truth in the Bible is God's revelation, in the Christian, His manifestation.

It is not necessary to hang up a code of home laws in the house where love is dwelling.

All human love is the reflection of the divine in the life of the upward looking man.

If we are going to sit together in heavenly places, we had better begin to stand together in the earthly ones.

**GROUP BY AN OLD MASTER.**

Already the crop of tourist tales ripens toward harvest, and already it is evident that, as always, the ignorant newly rich will figure largely in them. The Mrs. Struckite of a decade ago, whose daughter, because she had successfully decorated handkerchief boxes for the charity bazaar, was taken abroad to "study under Raphael," finds a parallel in the pretentious woman of wealth whose deck-chair conversation with her neighbor on her first trip abroad was recently reported.

"Yes," said Mrs. Haggerty, with an effect of haughty carelessness, "me and the girls are running across for a few months."

"No, it ain't scenery—there's enough of that our side of the pond; and it ain't society—the girls are all used up already with society keeping 'em on the go, day in day out, and I want they should rest."

"What we're going for this time is to have their pictures took—I should say painted. Haggerty wants 'em done, all three together, in a family group, by an old master."

"He'd ha' paid his passage over, too, instead of having us to go—there's no half-way about Haggerty—if only the man would have come; but Estanella's drawing teacher seemed to think he wouldn't. He didn't seem to think any of 'em would; he seemed quite amused at the idea. Well, I don't see why, I must say; Haggerty would ha' made it worth their while."

"No, I don't know which old master; fashions change so. I thought we'd better wait till we got across, and find out on the spot who's most popular."

"Seems odd, don't it, it always stays the old masters? You'd think the young men would catch up and pass 'em, but they never seem to."

"Well, whoever it is does my girls, they're good-looking girls, and ought to make a real nice picture; but I must say it would seem more kinder natural he should do his best, and notice their good points, and take a real interest, if he was a young fellow with a paint brush, and not an old master at all."

**Disease Has Freaks.**

No medical man needs to be told that even disease has its freaks, and that recovery has occasionally been brought about by means inexplicably trivial. One of the most remarkable of these unaccountable eccentricities of disease took place in Halver, in Westphalia. The case was that of a boy who, as the result of a very heavy fall backward on his head while skating, had for a year and a half been deaf and dumb. One morning his brother went to awake him, and finding him asleep heavily, tapped him lightly on the forehead. To his amazement the deaf and dumb boy awoke with a loud cry. Both speech and hearing had been restored.—Kansas City Journal.

**How Different Here!**

With the Persian one cannot discuss his women folk. To ask a Persian about his wife is a grave breach of etiquette. The most you can do is to ask about the "mother of his son." If he has only daughters he does not mention them. They are a misfortune to be suffered in silence.—London Globe.

The more a girl likes and admires her father and brothers, the less likely that she will idealize a worthless lover into a hero.

**YOUNG FOLKS****A Song of Schooldays.**

Wuns Henry Beamus had a dream witch told  
Him ware to go and find a lot of goald  
In thare frunt yard rite underneath a tree  
And Henry sed in his dream he could sea  
A chest all bownd with iron bands and hid  
In cadden days purhapps by Cappten Kidd  
Ful uv dubloons. And Henry sed at nite  
A gost wood walk arownd thare drest in white,  
To skare you off; and heez so skairt he sett  
Rite up in bed awl ringen wet with swett.

And Henry sed that he could go and find  
The chest himself if he just had a mind,  
But he wood shair the goald with a Redd  
If we wood help him dig; and Henry sed  
We'd hafftoo go at midnite, soze to kepe  
It seakrut, and when everywuns aslepe  
He'd get a pick and shuvvie from thare shed  
And he wood watch for gosts wile me and Redd  
Dug fore the berried treshure witch he thot  
Was wurth a millyun just as like as not.

And wun dark, offle clowdy nite we stade  
In Henry's howse till twelve o'clock,  
and lade  
Owr plans, and Redd was offle skairt wen we  
Dropt owt of Henry's windo, and sed he  
Felt like its diggen into graves, and thot  
Thay berried skulls thare just as like as not.  
But Henry got the pick and shuvvie witch  
Wood dig the treshure up and maik us ritch,  
And then forgot witch tree it was; and then  
We had to wate till Henry dreams agen.  
—J. W. Foley in Youth's Companion.

**Amusing Trick with an Egg.**

Here is a trick which will surprise the whole family.

The next time you eat a boiled egg moisten the rim—not merely the edge, but all the raised part—of your plate and place the empty shell on the wet surface.

The shell should be broken off evenly all around, so as to form a little cup.

Now, if you hold the plate up and tip it slightly, the egg will not merely slide, but spin, along the rim, and by continuously altering the inclined angle of the plate you can make the shell spin all the way around it. I do not mean that it will spin rapidly, like a top, but that as it goes around the plate it also revolves, slowly, about its own axis in the same direction.

Now, this, you know, is just what the earth does in traveling around the sun, so here you have an easy and pretty lesson in astronomy at the breakfast table.

**A Good Kite.**

Kite-flying is one of the best outdoor amusements that a boy could have; indeed, we know a good many men that enjoy it as much as they did when they were young.

The writer of this is one of them. There is a fascination about it that is not easily described. City boys have little chance to indulge in the sport, except when they go to the country or the seashore, during vacation, but those that live in the suburbs, or in places where they may conveniently reach the open fields, ought all to have their kites.

Fancy designs of all kinds are sold in the shops, but if a boy wishes to have all the fun there is in the sport, he ought to make his own kite. Besides, it will give him better service.

The accompanying cut shows how a good flyer may be made. Out of some straight-grained, light wood—cedar preferred—make four sticks, about one-eighth of an inch in thickness. Let two of them be 22 inches in length; one 17½ inches, and the other 13½ inches. Place them as shown in the picture, and tack them firmly where they cross. Cut little notches at the ends of the sticks, and put a string around the whole frame, making it taut and tying it so that it will not slip.

Now cut out a piece of very thin muslin paper—tissue paper would do, but thin muslin is more serviceable—one inch larger, all around, than the frame, and paste the edge over the string. Make a small hole in the end of the sticks at A, B, C, D, E and F, and put in a string loosely from A to F, from B to E, and from C to D. Make a string loop from E to F, to which the tail of the kite is to be attached. The strings must come through to the paper side of the kite, not the stick side.

The cord by which you are to fly the kite should be attached where the strings cross each other; do this with a loose knot enclosing all the strings. For the tail, use a strip of muslin about one inch in width and 15 feet in length and attach ten bows made of paper rolled up. If the kite should dive, add more tail until it sails steadily.

Use fine, but strong, cord for the

flying, and don't attempt it in a high wind. Kites always fly better in a moderate wind.—Chicago Daily News.

**Need or Needs?**

Perhaps many of the boys and girls have wondered why we are taught to say, "He need not do that," instead of "He needs not do that," as the singular pronoun, he, requires, under ordinary conditions, the singular form of the verb. The reason is that in a sentence of that kind—a negative sentence—expressing requirement or obligation, "need" becomes an auxiliary, and takes no change of termination in the third person singular. This exception is laid down in the grammars.

**Tim's Grace.**

When Baby Tim, who's very small,  
Says grace for me and nurse and all,  
He asks the Lord to make us all  
"Ter-looy fankful!"

And if we laugh till we are red,  
Nurse strokes his sandy-colored head,  
And loves him more because he said  
"Ter-looy fankful!"

For when he's older, so Nurse says,  
And grown from all his pretty ways,  
She'll often miss his funny phrase,  
"Ter-looy fankful!"

**THE KANGAROO IN SPORT.****Australians Utilize Him in Other Ways than Hunting.**

Australia is a land of bizarre hunting spectacles as well as strange economic experiments. There are animals found nowhere else for the activity of the sportsman, says the New York Tribune. The kangaroo runs or leaps numerously at large on the bush-covered plants, instead of being a rarity of the circus. Although an ungainly creature, it is blessed with hindleg muscles like those of a Missouri mule and a thick tail of exceeding power. Legs and tail compose an almost immovable tripod which might be useful in surveying Australian land if the kangaroo would consent to sit up for the surveyors. When in action the legs resemble piston rods inclined at an angle of 45 degrees to the horizon; they shut and open rapidly, propelling their owner over the landscape as if he were a prehistoric bird. The observer often imagines that the bird is a descendant of some ambitious kangaroo that sprouted feathers, and speculates on the consequences if birds had retained the vast tails of kangaroos. Above the waist the marsupial tribe strangely tapers off to the short limbs and innocuous countenance of a rabbit. There is not room enough in his skull for the gray matter that would make him an honored member of society.

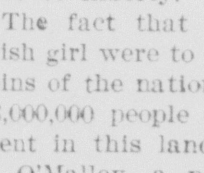
The ennui of sheep farming is relieved somewhat by racetrack meets between fast horses and kangaroos, the latter usually winning by leaping over the fence and on top of grand stand spectators. Also, it is said, there are encounters between prize fighters and marsupials, with the odds on the former, except when the latter foul it by a kick delivered frontwise in the style of the popular French amusement, la savate. Impartial observers agree that a kangaroo with light boxing gloves is no mean antagonist. He is naturally spry on his legs than the best human champion of the prize ring. Referees, it is charged, have a prejudice against him which is reflected in their decisions, just because he is a kangaroo and supposedly of inferior intellect to his opponent.

A kind of hound called the kangaroo dog is used in hunting the animal in the Australian wilds. But since the game is suspicious of man or dog afoot, while imagining that no harm can come from a man on horseback or in a wagon, the hunter generally approaches in a wagon and allows the dog to jump out when close to the quarry.

**A Song on "Irish Mary."**

Miss Mary Cunningham, the young Irish girl whom the famous sculptor, Augustus St. Gaudens, chose for the model when he was commissioned by the United States government to produce a design for the new gold coins of the country, is now the subject of a song. St. Gaudens searched for nearly two years, and at last found, in the young Irish girl, the one who filled his ideal of an American goddess of Liberty.

The fact that the features of the Irish girl were to appear upon the gold coins of the nation naturally filled the 23,000,000 people of Irish birth or descent in this land with pride. Chas. J. O'Malley, a poet who frequently contributes to leading periodicals, conceived the idea of expressing in a ballad the feelings of the American Irish when first the face of "Irish Mary" smiled up at them from the new \$10 and \$20 gold pieces, and his lines were set to music by Keith O'Neill. A curious fact about the whole matter is that St. Gaudens is Irish, so is Mary Cunningham, so is Charles J. O'Malley, so is Keith O'Neill, and so are the publishers. Even the artist who produced the cover-design is a young Irish painter named O'Shaughnessy.

**"IRISH MARY."**

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

**MISS SOPHIA KITTLESEN.****HEALTH VERY POOR—RESTORED BY PE-RU-NA.****Catarrh Twenty-five Years—Had a Bad Cough.**

Miss Sophia Kittlesen, Evanston, Illinois, U. S. A., writes: "I have been troubled with catarrh for nearly twenty-five years and have tried many cures for it, but obtained very little help."

"Then my brother advised me to try Peruna, and I did."

"My health was very poor at the time I began taking Peruna. My throat was very sore and I had a bad cough."

"Peruna has cured me. The chronic catarrh is gone and my health is very much improved."

"I recommend Peruna to all my friends who are troubled as I was."

**PERUNA TABLETS:**—Some people prefer tablets, rather than medicine in a fluid form. Such people can obtain Peruna tablets, which represent the medicinal ingredients of Peruna. Each tablet equals one average dose of Peruna. **Man-a-lin the Ideal Laxative.** **Manufactured by Peruna Drug Manufacturing Company, Columbus, Ohio.**

**An Unexpected Customer.**

Mrs. Lane, having discovered that there was a ready sale for the products of her clever fingers, spent all her time making small articles of fancy work for a store in a neighboring city. Naturally, with so much business on hand, the minor details of housekeeping were sometimes neglected, particularly just before the holidays, when orders came thick and fast.

One morning long-suffering Mr. Lane, clad only in his night clothes, appeared at his wife's bedside. He held in his outstretched hand a small, decorated object which Mrs. Lane recognized vaguely as some of her own work.

"Bess," demanded the intruder, "what does this contraption sell for? I want to buy it."

"What is it?" asked Mrs. Lane, feeling pleased that her husband was at last showing interest in her work.

"It's a kite-shaped thing with a ribbon tail, all feathered out with safety-pins," replied the would-be purchaser. "What's the price?"

"Fifty cents. But why in the world do you want it?"

"I want it," replied Mr. Lane, "because every solitary button has been washed off all my union suits."

**In No Danger.**

As the philanthropic tourist pursued his course he saw many things which he felt needed sympathetic attention. One day he stopped to gaze at a bare-headed man, who was turning a windlass which clumsily hoisted a bucket filled with sand.

"My friend," said the philanthropist, as the man paused to mop his forehead, "why do you not cover your head? This hot sun is likely to affect the brain."

"Brain is ut?" said the man, staring at him. "D'yo think if I had any brain I'd be here h'isting this bucket?"

**DR. TALKS OF FOOD****Pres. of Board of Health.**

"What shall I eat?" is the daily inquiry the physician is met with. I do not hesitate to say that in my judgment a large percentage of disease is caused by poorly selected and improperly prepared food. My personal experience with the fully-cooked food, known as Grape-Nuts, enables me to speak freely of its merits.

"From overwork, I suffered several years with malnutrition, palpitation of the heart, and loss of sleep. Last summer I was led to experiment personally with the new food, which I used in conjunction with good rich cow's milk. In a short time after I commenced its use, the disagreeable symptoms disappeared, my heart's action became steady and normal, the functions of the stomach were properly carried out and I again slept as soundly and as well as in my youth."

"I look upon Grape-Nuts as a perfect food, and no one can gainsay but that it has a most prominent place in a rational, scientific system of feeding. Any one who uses this food will soon be convinced of the soundness of the principle upon which it is manufactured and may thereby know the facts as to its true worth." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.



# FIXING FOR ACTION

## Natural Resources Commission Preparing to Get Down to Business.

### AN INDIANA MAN HONORED

Thomas R. Shipp Has Been Chosen  
General Secretary of Body That  
Has a High Mission.

The Waterways Commission Contem-  
plates Trip to Europe to Study  
Methods There.

Chicago, June 20.—The executive committee of the national commission, which organization is an outgrowth of the recent conference of governors at the White House, met here in conjunction with the inland waterways commission. The gathering was preliminary in nature, the scope of the work to be undertaken and the best methods of obtaining wide support for the movement being discussed. It was decided that the first full meeting of the resources commission shall be held in Washington on Dec. 1, this gathering to be followed two weeks later by a joint meeting of the national and state commissions, so far as the latter may then be organized. Thomas R. Shipp of Indianapolis was chosen general secretary of the resources commission, of which Gifford Pinchot is chairman. The following chiefs of divisions of the commission were also in attendance: Water, Representative Theodore E. Burton, Ohio; forest, Senator Reed Smoot, Utah; land, Senator Knute Nelson, Minnesota; mineral, Representative John Dalzell, Pennsylvania.

After the joint meeting with the national resources commission's committee, the inland waterways commission held a separate session and discussed a proposition to visit Europe for a study of the waterways of that continent. This discussion will be continued by mail, and if a majority of the commissioners are able to make the trip it will be undertaken soon.

### BETTER TONE TO TRADE

Gratifying Conditions Continue, Ac-  
cording to Bradstreet.

New York, June 20.—Bradstreet's weekly review of trade today says: Aside from the continuance of the better tone as regards the future, and some further enlargement of industrial operations, notably in textile lines, there is little new to report as to trade. Business as a whole has been quiet. There is general agreement that retailers' stocks are not large, but filling in orders continue to be frequent rather than heavy. Fall buying has been a trifle more assured at Eastern and central Western centers, but conservatism and a disposition to await crop and political developments guard against anything like free buying. Collections are backward as a whole.

### Lightning Bolt Kills Man.

Greenfield, Ind., June 20.—John Foster, twenty-two years old, was struck by lightning Friday afternoon while at work on the farm of his brother Charles, two miles west of this city, and received burns which caused his death three hours later. He, with Austin Reasen and Clarence Willett, were unloading hay in a barn when the lightning struck. All three were rendered unconscious. Mr. Foster was the worst injured, his clothing being burned from his body and the shoes from his feet. He never regained consciousness. His two companions are thought to be out of danger, as they were not burned.

### The Plan Didn't Work.

Tangier, June 20.—A clever attempt made here to proclaim Mulai Hafid as sultan of Morocco was frustrated at the last moment. The formality of proclamation was to be most simple and to consist of the substitution of the name of the new sultan for that of the old in the ceremonial prayer for the ruler at the Friday service in the mosque. This plan had been arranged by leading constituents of Mulai Hafid, but Mohammed El Torres, the ex-foreign minister, who was apprised of the plot, had the chief movers arrested and surrounded the mosque with troops.

### Standard Staff Moves Up.

New York, June 20.—At a meeting of the officials of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, W. H. Tilford, treasurer, was elected to succeed Henry M. Flagler, vice president, resigned; C. M. Pratt, secretary, was made treasurer, to fill the vacancy made by Tilford's promotion; Walter Jennings, a director, was made secretary and Henry C. Folger, jr., prominently identified with the Tide Water Oil company, was made a member of the board of directors to succeed Frank Q. Barstow, resigned.

### Accused of Attempted Murder.

Bloomington, Ind., June 20.—Charged with the intent to kill his wife, Charles Thomas, a one-armed railroad flagman, was arrested here because, it is alleged, he stuck a dirk into her arm and chased her away from home.

### No Need of Suffering from Rheumatism.

It is a mistake to allow rheumatism to become chronic, as the pain can always be relieved, and most cases a cure effected by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. It makes sleep and rest possible. Even cases of long standing this liniment should be used on account of the relief it affords. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by C. W. Milhous.

### Sweeping Reductions Made.

Washington, June 20.—Sweeping reductions in lumber rates west of the Missouri river and approximately 5 per cent reduction in the advanced rates in the East, as well as other changes in the tariff, are ordered under decisions announced by the interstate commerce commission today. The rulings are made in a group of important cases involving the rates on lumber, shingles and other forest products.

### Sore Nipples.

Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the baby to nurse. Many trained nurses use this Salve with best results. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

### Held on Forgery Charge.

Bloomington, Ind., June 20.—William Vaught, a fugitive for a year, was arrested in Bedford and brought here and arraigned, entering a plea of not guilty to forging the name of Major Grimes of Smithville to a promissory note calling for \$100. He went to Kentucky as soon as the indictment was returned against him, and he did not return till last week. Failing to give bond in \$500, he was committed to jail.

### Stomach Troubles.

Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price 25 cents. Samples free at C. W. Milhous drug store.

### Storm Sweeps Hancock.

Greenfield, Ind., June 20.—The northern part of Hancock county was swept by a heavy and damaging wind and electric storm Friday afternoon. Hundreds of fruit trees were uprooted or broken and all the timber suffered damage which will amount to thousands of dollars.

Strengthen your weak Stomach, Heart and Kidney nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Don't drug the Stomach nor stimulate the Heart or kidneys. That is wrong. Vitalize these weak inside nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and see how good health will come to you. For sale by A. J. Pellens.

### Joy at Utica.

Utica, N. Y., June 20.—The news of James S. Sherman's nomination for vice president was received in this city, his home, with the ringing of bells, the firing of cannon and a general display of flags.

"Health Coffee" is the cleverest imitation of real coffee ever yet made. Dr. Shoop created it from pure parched grains, malt nuts, etc. Fine in flavor—is made in just one minute. No 20 or 30 minutes tedious boiling. Sample free. For sale by C. E. Abel.

### TERSE TELEGRAM

All publications having anarchistic tendencies will hereafter find it practically impossible to make use of the United States mails for their distribution.

When you have Backache the liver or kidneys are sure to be out of gear. Try Sano!, it cures backache in 24 hours, and there is nothing better for the liver or kidneys. For sale at the drug store.

According to plans approved by the Democratic committee, the Denver convention hall will have a seating capacity of 15,000.

Piles get quick and certain help from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Trial Box to first prove, mailed free by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

Mrs. Una May Weinstein, daughter of the late T. M. Houston, shot and fatally wounded J. T. Lowe, the man who killed her father, in Utica, Miss.

Any pain stopped in 20 minutes sure. Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets quickly stop Headache, pains of women, etc. 20 tablets 25c. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

The Chicago wheat market was weak because of considerable realizing by small holders.

Rheumatism promptly driven from the blood with Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy. A test will surely tell. In tablet or liquid form. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

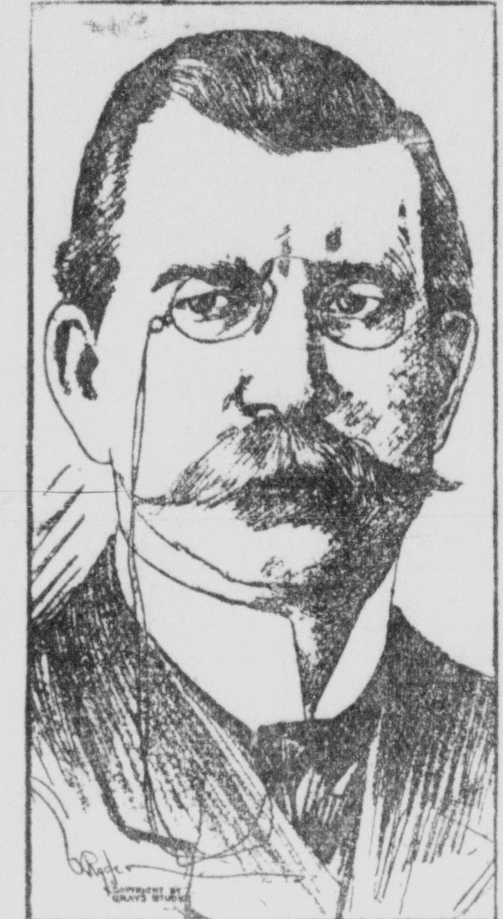
Ill luck is in nine cases out of ten the result of saying pleasure first and duty second, instead of duty first and pleasure second.

Want Ads. get results. Try one.

### TAFT'S SUCCESSOR

#### General Luke E. Wright to Take Up War Portfolio.

Washington, June 20.—The president, who yesterday accepted Secretary Taft's resignation, the same to take effect July 1, has named to succeed to the war portfolio, General Luke E. Wright of Memphis, Tenn., formerly governor of the Philippines, and formerly United States minister to



GENERAL LUKE E. WRIGHT.

Japan. General Wright is now at his home at Tennessee, but is expected to come to this city several days before June 30 and will take up the duties of secretary of war on July 1.

#### Oyster Bay Looks Up.

Washington, June 20.—The president departed for Oyster Bay this morning. He went on a special train accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt and other members of his family. Secretary and Mrs. Loeb and officials and employees of the White House to the number of about thirty accompanied the president. Secretary Root left on the same train with the president for his summer home at Clinton, N. Y., where he expects to spend the greater part of the summer.

#### Panic in Wild West Show.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 20.—A raging wind and hail storm of unusual velocity prevailed over Pittsburg and western Pennsylvania last night, inflicting heavy damage to grain fields and vegetable gardens. One of the tents of the Buffalo Bill Wild West show was partially wrecked. One of the heavier poles was broken and when the tent fell a panic was threatened.

#### Left Bondsmen to Settle.

Boonville, Ind., June 20.—M. L. Douglass, accused of conducting a "blind tiger" in this city, and at liberty on bond, failed to appear for trial and his bond was defaulted. Still another charge of similar import rests over him, to be called on the 25th inst. There is little expectation that he will report at that time.

#### Porter Gets Life Sentence.

Portland, Ind., June 20.—After a retirement of five hours the jury in the case of Ira Porter of New Pittsburg, indicted for the murder of his wife on the 15th of January last, by shooting off the top of her head with a shotgun at their home, returned a verdict of guilty of second degree murder, fixing the punishment at life imprisonment.

#### Oklahoma's Grave Loss.

Guthrie, Okla., June 20.—As nearly as can be estimated, fifty persons have lost their lives in Oklahoma from drowning in the recent flood season, and as many more have been killed otherwise, by storms and lightning.

#### TERSE TELEGRAMS

Yesterday was the twenty-second anniversary of Secretary Taft's wedding.

Favorable weather for harvesting in the Southwest had a weakening effect on the Chicago wheat market.

Preparations for fall trade are on a fairly liberal scale, testifying to confidence in the future, says Dun's review.

Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton shows a total of 2,828,971, against 2,972,067 last week.

Additional arrests of alleged Mexican revolutionists have been made at Nueva Casas Grandos, Mexico. Thirty are now in jail.

Business failures in the United States for the week number 254, which compares with 253 last week, and 165 in the like week in 1907.

Three miners were killed and several seriously burned from an explosion in a mine of the Pittsburg Coal company near Monongahela.

J. Pierpont Morgan expressed pleasure at the choice of Taft as the Republican nominee for the presidency. "It's good, good," Mr. Morgan said.

Buffalo won the head camp meeting of 1911 over Dallas, Tex., by vote of the delegates of the head camp of Modern Woodmen of America, in session at Peoria.

The London Daily Graphic describes Mr. Taft as an "American Dauphin," adding, "there is something Napoleonic about this creation of new dynastic legitimacy under the shadow of the Stars and Stripes."

### WHOLE TOWN BETTERMENT.

#### Plea For Beautifying Both Residence and Business Sections.

W. C. Winsborough of Kansas City, Mo., who is greatly interested in civic improvement, does not believe that Kansas City should stop at cleaning up the downtown streets and beautifying the business section, but should extend it to the residential sections.

In stating his views to a Kansas City Star reporter he made the following good suggestions for improvement of towns:

"The 300 block idea and the 1,100 block crusade are fine attempts at civic betterment, and they should be followed by similar efforts for beautifying the residence districts of the city. A clean downtown business district should go hand in hand with an attractive collection of homes in which these business men and their families live. This beautifying idea should become prevalent in Kansas City, as it has in Cleveland, Philadelphia, Brooklyn and other eastern cities. Several years ago the women's auxiliary of the Manufacturers and Merchants' association took up the matter of interesting Kansas City people in improving the appearance of their homes by the planting of flowers and the improving of their lawns. Prizes were offered, and the success of the movement indicated the widespread interest taken in it. With the abolition of the auxiliary, however, the movement died and no one has started it again."

Mr. Winsborough was one of the leaders in the home improvement crusade and is still a believer in its benefits, not only because of the added attractiveness presented by the homes, but as a good citizen maker and moral agent.

"The planting of flowers and shrubs is not alone an advantage to the householder because of the added beauty they give to his property," he said, "but it gives instruction to his growing children. Every child is benefited by a knowledge of plant life. The city children learn too little of ordinary botanical facts. By the institution of such a movement these disadvantages of city life are removed. It could be inaugurated with little trouble, and once started it would spread of itself. No man will watch his neighbor beautifying and cleaning up his property without trying to emulate him. The city health and police departments could greatly assist in the crusade by compelling property owners to obey the ordinance concerning cleanliness."

#### Home Trade Philosophy.

Every man who spends \$2 around home where only a dollar was spent before is a benefactor to his race.

Plenty of men who froth at the mouth when they discuss the centralization of government are fostering the centralization of trade by patronizing the big mail order houses which try to gobble up the business of local merchants.

One way to stand by your own town is not to sit down and write orders for goods to be shipped from the city when you can buy them to just as much advantage right at home.

A town with no business has no business to be a town, and it won't be a town very long after its business is eliminated by too much dallying on the part of its citizens with the mail order business.

The citizen who patronizes home industries without seeking an excuse is the spark in the wine of life, while the one who prefers to spend his money outside of his own community is the dregs.

#### Town Planning.

In an address before the congress of horticulturists in Jamestown some weeks ago a speaker said, "It is the duty of village improvement societies and park superintendents to direct their attention to the preparation of (town) plans rather than to expend all their efforts and money on a small area or other minor improvements at haphazard or upon general clearing up operations, street lighting and the like that should be executed by the town officers through their regular appropriations." He added that public spirit, wisely directed by a well thought out plan, could transform a town in from five to eight years, but he said there must be locally a leader in the movement "who is big enough to grasp the whole conception and persistent enough to hold fast against criticism until it is well under way." This means self sacrificing effort at first, but ultimately it is sure of general approval, and happily almost every town contains such a leader.

#### Studying a Town's or City's Needs.

The Municipal Journal reports that the Spokane chamber of commerce has outlined the following topics for discussion at public meetings: The placing of shade trees on residence streets and their maintenance, adoption of artistic styles of bridges and approaches, artistic and practical schemes for river bank improvement, erection and supervision of statuary, fountains and other ornamental works in parks and at intersections of boulevards and thoroughfares, consideration of a uniform method for cleaning and sprinkling streets, abolition and removal of obstructions to streets and sidewalks, more artistic gas and electric light posts and other public utilities situated in or encroaching upon streets and public places, regulation of billboards for the purpose of their gradual elimination, especially in the residence districts, and more effective arrangements of street lighting. This is a very comprehensive review of improvement needs.

### Notice of Declaratory Resolution.

#### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given by the common council of the city of Seymour, Indiana, That it is desired and deemed necessary to make the following described public improvements in the city of Seymour, as authorized by the following numbered improvement resolutions, adopted by said common council on the 8th day of June, 1908, for the construction of a district sewer from the Main sewer on Central Avenue, thence north on Central Avenue to Sixth street, thence east on Sixth street to Pine street.

The territory to be derived by an assessment for said sewer and its construction is as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Third street and Poplar street thence north on Poplar street to Seventh street, thence west on Seventh street to Central Avenue, thence south on Central Avenue to Third street, thence east on Third to the place of beginning.

All work done in the making of said described improvements shall be in accordance with the terms and conditions of the improvement resolution as numbered, adopted by the common council on the above named day, and detailed drawings, plans, profiles and specifications which are on file and may be seen in the office of the city civil engineer.

The common council has fixed July 6th, 1908 at 8 o'clock p. m., as a date upon which remonstrance may be filed or heard, by the person interested in or affected by said described public improvements, and on said day and hour fixed the common council will meet at its council chamber in said city, for the purpose of hearing and considering any remonstrances which may have been filed, or which may be presented, and will hear all persons interested, or whose property is affected by said proposed improvements, and will decide whether the benefits that will accrue to the property abutting, and within said above described territory, and to the proposed improvements and to said city, will be equal to or exceed the estimated cost of the proposed improvements, as estimated by the civil engineer.

FRED EVERBACK, City Clerk.

#### Bad Sprained Ankle Cured.

Three years ago our daughter sprained her ankle and had been suffering terribly for two days and nights and had not slept a minute. Mr. Stallings, of Butler, Tenn., told us of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. We went to the store that night and got a bottle of it and bathed her ankle two or three times and she went to sleep and had a good night's rest. The next morning she was much better and in a short time could walk around and had no more trouble with her ankle. E. M. Brumitt, Hampton, Tenn. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by C. W. Milhous.

### Notice of Adoption of Resolution.

#### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given by the common council of the city of Seymour, Indiana, that on the 25th day of May, 1908, they unanimously adopted Declaratory Resolution No. 39 for the opening and widening of O'Brien St. of said city from High street to Centennial street.

The common council of said city has fixed June 23, 1908 at 8 o'clock p. m. as a date upon which remonstrances may be filed or presented by persons interested in, or affected by said proposed widening, as above described and on said day and time said council will meet at its council chamber for the purpose of hearing and considering any remonstrance which may have been filed or presented and for the purpose of taking final action thereon. Such action shall be final and conclusive upon all persons.

FRED EVERBACK, City Clerk.

#### Born in Iowa.

Our family were all born and raised in Iowa, and have used Chamberlain's Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy made at Des Moines for years. We know how good it is from long experience in the use of it. In fact when in El Paso, Texas, the writer's life was saved by the prompt use of this remedy. We are now engaged in the mercantile business at Narcoossee, Fla., and have introduced the remedy here. It has proven very successful and is constantly growing in favor. Ennis Bros. This remedy is for sale by C. W. Milhous.

#### Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

LADIES.  
Miss Edna McCurdy.

GENTS.  
Mr. Charley Crane.  
W. M. Harrison.  
W. M. Harrison.  
Mr. Charley Hardin.  
Mr. Charley McKosky.

W. P. MASTERS,  
Seymour, June 15 1908.

## Very Serious

It is a very serious matter to ask for one medicine and have the wrong one given you. For this reason we urge you in buying to be careful to get the genuine—

## THE DIXIE BLACK-DRAGHT Liver Medicine

The reputation of this old, reliable medicine, for constipation, indigestion and liver trouble, is firmly established. It does not imitate other medicines. It is better than others, or it would not be the favorite liver powder, with a larger sale than all others combined.

SOLD IN TOWN

Indianapolis, Columbus and Southern Traction Co.



In effect May 1, 1908.

THE DIXIE LIMITEDS leave Seymour for Crothersville, Scottsburg, Sellersburg, Watson Junction, Jeffersonville and Louisville at 11:16 a. m. and 4:16 p. m.

THE HOOSIER LIMITEDS leave Seymour for Columbus, Edinburg, Franklin, Greenwood and Indianapolis at 10:14 a. m. and at 3:14 p. m.

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### TIME TABLE

#### North Bound.

	No. 4	No. 6
Lv Seymour	12:30 p m	5:35 p m
Lv Bedford	1:50 p m	6:54 p m
Lv Odon	2:58 p m	8:00 p m
Lv Elkhart	3:08 p m	8:10 p m
Lv Beehunter	3:20 p m	8:22 p m
Lv Linton	3:34 p m	8:36 p m
Lv Jasonville	3:56 p m	9:01 p m
Ar Terre Haute	4:50 p m	9:55 p m

No. 26, Mixed, Leaves Seymour at 7:40 a. m., arrive at Bedford 10:30 a. m.

#### South Bound

	No. 1	No. 3
Lv Terre Haute	7:00 a m	11:35 a m
Lv Jasonville	7:53 a m	12:09 p m
Lv Linton	8:12 a m	12:29 p m
Lv Beehunter	8:24 a m	12:41 p m
Lv Elkhart	8:36 a m	12:55 p m
Lv Odon	8:47 a m	1:05 p m
Lv Bedford	10:05 a m	2:20 p m
Ar Seymour	11:15 a m	3:35 p m

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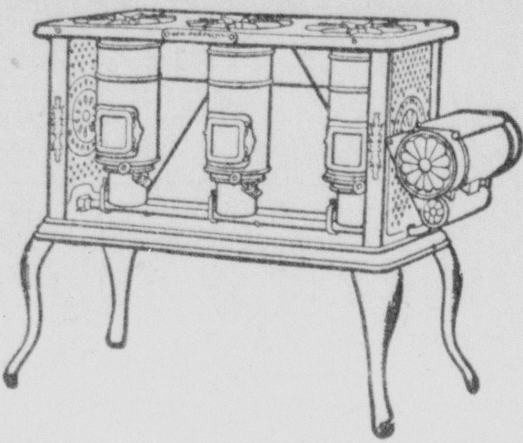
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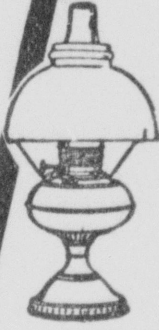


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SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 1908.

WHENEVER a city or county gets lax in the enforcement of law a disrespect for legally constituted authority is cultivated. No self-respecting man upholds lawlessness. No self-respecting municipality will long stand for disorder and disgraceful conduct on the part of a few within her borders. If conditions get such that the officers can not cope with it they should say so. The people will always help officers who try to enforce the law of the state.

### EDITORIAL COMMENT.

For weeks past Mr. Taft's nomination has been seen to be inevitable. He will receive the enthusiastic support of every member of the party.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

William H. Taft is the next President of the United States—provided the Democratic national convention nominates William J. Bryan. It is an office for which Mr. Taft has conspicuous qualifications.—New York World.

Quite aside from his relation to the President, Mr. Taft is the man of the hour, because he has high qualifications. In respect to brains and character, which are fundamentals of fitness, he is eminent. The country knows him well and he knows the country thoroughly.—New York Times.

Taft's superb vote is the finest possible endorsement of his fitness as the leader in this campaign. He fulfills every requirement of the ideal candidate. He is a platform in himself. His character is flawless; his record is one long succession of brilliant services. He has the confidence of the American people and they will elect him by an overwhelming majority—Baltimore American.

The Republican national convention selected as candidate for the presidency the man best equipped for the office. It has selected a man of action whose previous official experience and tried character qualify him to enter upon the duties of the presidency as few, if any, of his predecessors were qualified.—Chicago Tribune.

One thing which has caused Mr. Roosevelt's enemies and Mr. Taft's opponents much anxiety has been the fear that he will have no opinions and no policies of his own and will continue to act under the guidance of his predecessor. Such a theory is too idle, and its origin too manifest, to make it worth while to discuss it. While more tactful and by temperament more conservative than Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Taft is every whit as independent, forceful, and virile, and will formulate his own policies and act on his own judgment. Would that Democracy in all its crises and all its divisions, might as instructively and unerringly turn to its best men as leaders.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

### The Farmer's Wife

Is very careful about her churn. She scalds it thoroughly after using, and gives it a sun bath to sweeten it. She knows that if her churn is sour it will taint the butter that is made in it. The stomach is a churn. In the stomach and digestive and nutritive tracts are performed processes which are almost exactly like the churning of butter. Is it not apparent then that if this stomach-churn is foul it makes foul all which is put into it?

The evil of a foul stomach is not alone the bad taste in the mouth and the foul breath caused by it, but the corruption of the pure current of blood and the dissemination of disease throughout the body. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes the sour and foul stomach sweet. It does for the stomach what the washing and sun bath do for the churn—absolutely removes every tainting or corrupting element. In this way it cures blotches, pimples, eruptions, scrofulous swellings, sores, or open eating ulcers and all humors or diseases arising from bad blood. If you have bitter, nasty, foul taste in your mouth, coated tongue, foul breath, are weak and easily tired, feel depressed and despondent, have frequent headaches, dizzy attacks, gnawing or distress in stomach, constipated or irregular bowels, sour or bitter risings after eating and poor appetite, these symptoms, or any considerable number of them, indicate that you are suffering from biliousness, torpid or lazy liver with the usual accompanying indigestion, or dyspepsia and their attendant derangements.

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### THE FIRST TAFT SPEECH

"Jim" Watson, as Usual, Rises Equal to the Occasion.

Indianapolis, June 20.—Congressman James E. Watson, Republican nominee for governor in Indiana, has the honor of making the first Taft campaign speech. In front of the Taft and Fairbanks headquarters at the Annex Thursday night he spoke briefly but enthusiastically of the nomination of the Ohio candidate. He said that the Republicans of Indiana came to Chicago feeling that they had a candidate worthy of the high honor of president, but they are now for Taft. He appealed to those around him to stand by the party of Lincoln, Grant, McKinley, Roosevelt and Taft. "That word Taft sounds good at the end of that list, doesn't it?" he concluded. The answer of the crowd was affirmative.

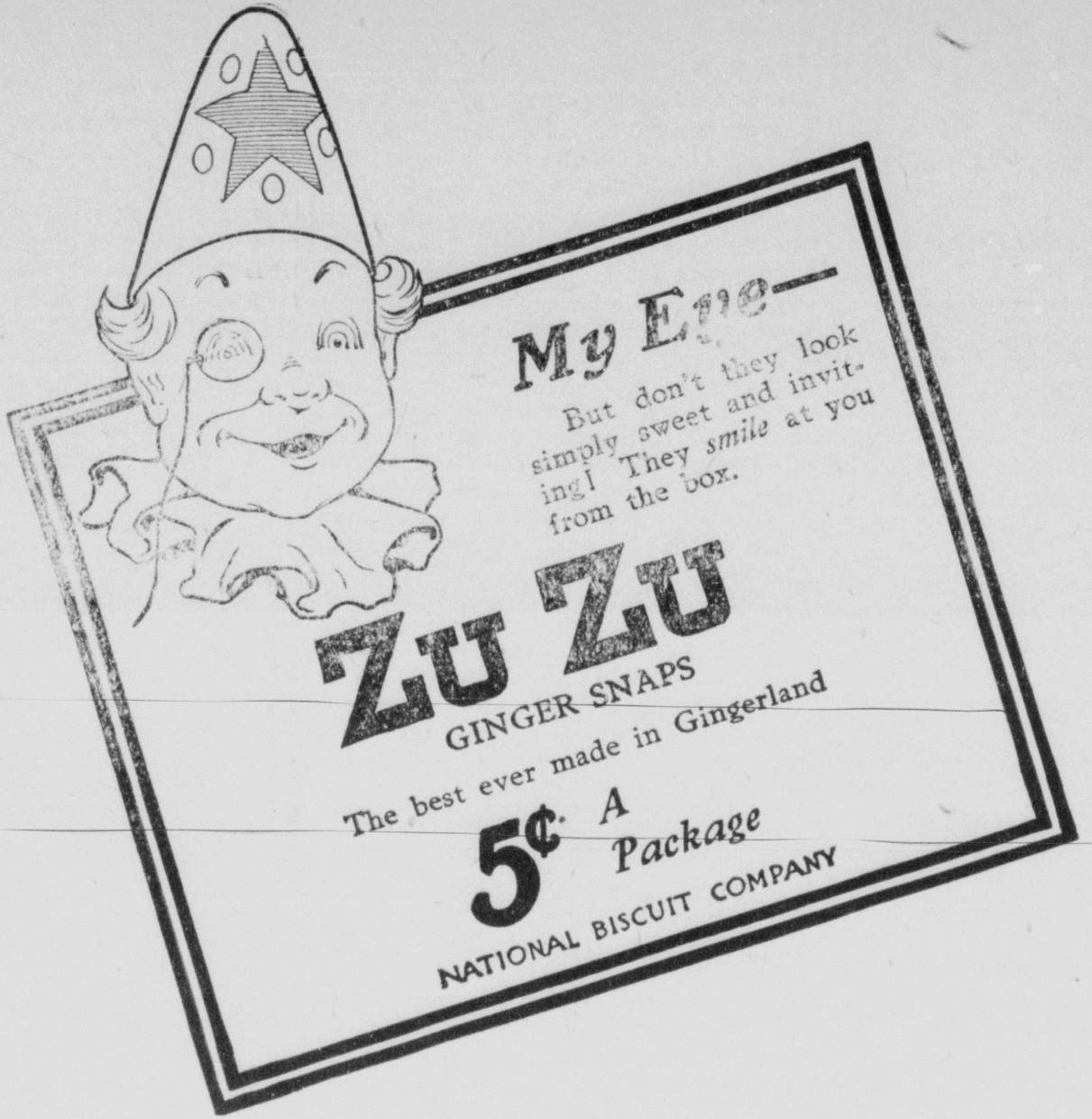
James P. Goodrich, chairman of the Republican state committee, is quoted as saying: "Personally I would have been very much gratified to have seen Mr. Fairbanks nominated. I did all I could to bring about that result. The convention has decreed otherwise, and I bow to the decision of the majority. The secretary of war is a well-tried public servant and has never failed to meet the requirements of the hour or the demands of the occasion. He is essentially strong in all of the elements of manhood and is a thorough American of the highest type, a Republican in whom there is no guile and who ought to be acceptable to the great body of the American people. He will carry Indiana, and I have no doubt of his election."

The Republican leaders of Indiana are disappointed over the defeat of Fairbanks, but they declare that Taft will carry Indiana and that they will begin to work for him at once. It was the consensus of opinion among them that the masses will soon forget the stories about the "road roller," and Taft the nominee will be much stronger than Taft the candidate. They also predicted that Taft will come nearer getting Roosevelt's strength in Indiana than any other candidate. "Big Chief" Keating and other Indiana leaders are elated over the fact that their delegation stuck together at Chicago and that Fairbanks was the only candidate who received the solid vote of his own state.

Republican leaders are very hopeful that Captain Harry New will be re-elected national chairman of the Republican committee, but the prospects are that Frank H. Hitchcock, Secretary Taft's manager, will have charge of the campaign. He is an active candidate for the place, while Captain New says that he will not enter into a contest for it. He would like to have it and a majority of the members of the national committee from the Northern states want him, but it is the custom for the presidential nominee to say who shall be chairman, so it will be up to Taft to decide the matter.

Colonel Ed. Thayer of Greenfield who practically had charge of the floor during the Republican national convention at Chicago, is a popular member of the Indiana national guard. He was taken to Chicago six weeks ago by Captain New, national chairman, and had been there ever since assisting in the arrangements for the big gathering. Colonel Thayer was congratulated warmly on his efficient work at Chicago.

Colonel Russell B. Harrison, only son of the late General Benjamin Harrison, was a sergeant-at-arms at the convention at Chicago. He helped the various speakers to the platform in nominating the various candidates. His wide acquaintance helped him out. Very few, however, knew that he was the only son of the late president who was nominated sixteen years ago.



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### PERSONAL.

Henry Critcher was here from Brownstown this morning.

Mrs. C. A. Naylor has gone to Indianapolis to visit friends.

Miss Lenore Pherigo, of Columbus, is here the guest of Miss Edna Smith.

Trainmaster Joseph Donahue made a business trip east this morning on No. 4.

James R. Luckey, of near Reddington, was here a short time this morning on business.

Miss Ella Weinland, of Hope, arrived yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. Jay C. Smith.

Willard Miller, of the Miller Cigar Company, made a business trip to North Vernon this morning.

D. A. Rothrock, of Bloomington, was here Friday evening and remained here till this morning.

Mrs. F. N. McMillen, of New Richmond, Ohio, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ross.

Mrs. Arthur P. Carter and two children went to Jeffersonville this morning on a short visit with friends.

Miss Margaret Remy went to Reddington this afternoon to remain over Sunday with Miss Mary Baker.

Postmaster W. P. Masters took the Rev. Mr. Condo, of Marion, to Brownstown in his auto this afternoon.

Riley Roberts, of Hamilton township, returned home today from Danville where he has been in college the past term.

Julius Peter is home from Yale University to spend the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Peter.

Ben Schneck returned home on the early morning train today from attending the Republican National Convention at Chicago.

Misses Lenora and Lorene Smithe went to Seymour this morning to spend the week with their cousin, Mrs. Will Snyder.—Col. Rep.

Mrs. H. C. Jones and two sons, Merrill and Simeon, returned home Friday evening from a visit with friends at Columbus.

Rev. and Mrs. Louis Ackerman, of near Evansville, are here to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. John Hartman.—Bedford Mail.

J. N. Marsh, of Columbus, who has been the editor of the Vevay Democrat for more than a year, was here today calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay C. Smith went to Louisville today to attend the international Sunday School convention now in session at that city.

Miss Brodhecker, of the Brownstown Banner office, returned home this morning from spending a few days with friends at Madison.

Edward J. Stratton is expected here from Jeffersonville today to spend Sunday with his friend, Albert Mains, agent at the Pennsylvania ticket office.

Rev. A. W. Crabb and wife, and little son of Brazil, Ind., arrived in this city this morning and went to Valleria where he preaches tomorrow.

Miss Madge Montgomery is expected home this evening from Cambridge, Mass., where she has been taking a post graduate course in college the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ernst, of Medora, returned home this morning from taking an outing at Martinsville. Mr. Ernst is the proprietor of a restaurant at Medora.

Will Hacker, son of Judge and Mrs. Marshall Hacker, of Columbus, was here one day this week, the guest of his uncle, Ed Eldridge. He went from here to Moores Hill.

Miss Ada Morgan, a teacher in the Selma, Ala., Home Mission School, was in this city today and called at the Baptist parsonage on her way to her home at Mitchell.

Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Hill returned last evening from attending the annual meeting of the State Medical Society at French Lick and report a splendid meeting and a fine time.

Miss Bertha Henkle, of Elmyria, O., arrived here Friday evening to be the guest of Miss Edna Droege and other friends. She may remain here a week or two or possibly longer.

Louis Heller and wife of Seymour, Frank Heller, of Alexandria, and Adam Heller, of Brownstown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wittenburg, Sunday.—North Vernon Sun.

Dr. and Mrs. G. O. Barnes and Dr. James K. Ritter and daughter Miss Fern returned home on No. 4 this morning from attending the meeting of the State Medical Society at French Lick this week.

Miss Ellen Kilburn, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., who has been in this city for the past few days the guest of her friend, Miss Hannah Mills, left this morning for Cincinnati where she will spend some time with friends before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pardick, who live near Jonesville, returned Thursday from Clear Springs, where they went to have Dr. Edwards, formerly of Walesboro, apply a mad stone to a dog bite inflicted on their five year old son Carvin.—Col. Rep.

### Notice of Declaratory Resolution.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given by the common council of the city of Seymour, Indiana, That it is desired and deemed necessary to make the following described public improvements in the city of Seymour, as authorized by the following numbered improvement resolutions, adopted by said common council on the 8th day of June, 1908, for the construction of a district sewer from the Main sewer on Central Avenue, thence north on Central Avenue to Sixth street, thence east on Sixth street to Pine street.

The territory to be derived by an assessment for said sewer and its construction is as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Third street and Poplar street thence north on Poplar street to Seventh street, thence west on Seventh street to Central Avenue, thence south on Central Avenue to Third street, thence east on Third to the place of beginning.

All work done in the making of said described improvements shall be in accordance with the terms and conditions of the improvement resolution as numbered, adopted by the common council on the above named day, and detailed drawings, plans, profiles and specifications which are on file and may be seen in the office of the city civil engineer.

The common council has fixed July 6th, 1908 at 8 o'clock p. m., as a date upon which remonstrance may be filed or heard, by the person interested in or affected by said described public improvements, and on said day and hour fixed the common council will meet at its council chamber in said city, for the purpose of hearing and considering any remonstrances which may have been filed, or which may be presented, and will hear all persons interested, or whose property is affected by said proposed improvements, and will decide whether the benefits that will accrue to the property abutting, and within said above described territory, and to the proposed improvements and to said city, will be equal to or exceed the estimated cost of the proposed improvements, as estimated by the civil engineer.

FRED EVERBACK,  
City Clerk.

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### Notice of Adoption of Resolution.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given by the common council of the city of Seymour, Indiana, that on the 25th day of May, 1908, they unanimously adopted Declaratory Resolution No. 39 for the opening and widening of O'Brien St. of said city from High street to Centennial street.

The common council of said city has fixed June 23, 1908 at 8 o'clock p. m. as a date upon which remonstrances may be filed or presented by persons interested in, or affected by said proposed widening, as above described and on said day and time said council will meet at its council chamber for the purpose of hearing and considering any remonstrance which may have been filed or presented and for the purpose of taking final action thereon. Such action shall be final and conclusive upon all persons.

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### Glee Club Song.

One of the most popular numbers given by the Wabash College Glee Club on their recent tour was entitled, "The Barn Dance Song." The words were written by Harter H. Walter and the music was written by Will G. Masters, of this city. It is said that this song made a hit at every entertainment given. It has been published by Carlin & Lennox, of Indianapolis, and is having a wide sale. This is indeed quite a distinction for one of our own College boys. It was his first effort at composing music and the success he has achieved is very gratifying to his many friends. Mr. Masters is a member of the Wabash College Glee Club, being the violin soloist, and his playing was a feature every place the club went.

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With roguish eye  
He bids me buy  
From out his pack of treasures.

His wallet's stuffed with blisses,  
With true-love-knots and kisses,  
With rings and rosy fetters,  
And sugared vows and letters—  
He holds them out  
With boyish flout,  
And bids me try the fetters.

Nay, Child (I cry), I know them;  
There's little need to show them!  
Too well for new believing  
I know their past deceiving—  
I am too old  
(I say), and cold  
To-day, for new believing!

But still the wanton presses,  
With honey-sweet caresses,  
And still, to my undoing,  
He wins me with his wooing,  
To buy his wares  
With all its care,  
His sorrow and undoing,  
Justin Dobson.



"Dear sir," ran the letter, "owing to the fact that we are making considerable reductions in our office staff, we regret to inform you that we shall not require your services after this day month, the 27 prox. We shall of course be pleased to give you any testimonials you may desire in the future, and you have our best wishes for your subsequent career."

Kimber read the note three times before he was able to realize exactly what it meant. At first, he had believed that it was a sort of joke on the part of the correspondence clerk; the fellows were always having what they called a "game" with him, because he happened to be the oldest man in the office. He had reached the critical age of 45, and the inverted values of the twentieth century demand that the last thing on earth to be respected shall be the dignity of age.

But although, in the beginning, he had been inclined to regard the letter as a jest, further observation proved that he was quite wrong. The note bore the signature of "James Skinner," the head of the firm, and even Dixon, the correspondence clerk, would hardly have had the audacity to forge that august gentleman's name.

"So I'm to be kicked out," he murmured, "and I can guess the reason. I'm too old. That's it. Too old! I'm punctual, I'm quick, I'm everything they want, but my hair is going gray, and people don't refer to me any longer as that 'young fellow'!"

A feeling of violent resentment seized his soul, shutting out the milder sensation of sorrow. That would come later, of course, but just now he could only feel enraged. It was scandalous, brutal, altogether unjustifiable, he reflected. What right had they to use the best years of a man's life, and then fling him away on to the dust-heap when the whim seized them?

He glanced round the deserted office, whence the clerks had departed to their Saturday afternoon football or music-hall. Jove, how attached he had become to the place! The clock, the dingy desks, the rickety stools—all these things were part of his life, and had twined themselves into the routine of his days. Somehow, he could not imagine himself working in any other room. It was true that he had often disliked the monotony of his toil, but now that there was the prospect of something new and strange, he shrank back into the memory of that happy monotony with something like the gratified shiver with which the disturbed sleeper returns to the warmth of the sheets.

It was Skinner's doing, of course. The manager had always liked him (Kimber), and would never have suggested his removal. Skinner, however, was prejudiced in favor of younger men; doubtless that trip to New York last year had developed his prejudices. Often had he heard Skinner say that young blood was what the modern business man wanted. Yes, it was Skinner's doing, and a feeling of passionate resentment against the smooth-faced, brutal head of the firm rose in Kimber's soul. If Skinner had entered the office at that moment, he would not have been answerable for what happened.

Suddenly he conceived the idea of going round to his chief's private house and demanding an interview. On Monday, at the office, it would be impossible, for the stream of callers was incessant, and at most he would be able to snatch a few minutes only of the busy man's time. But if he went to the house, he could say his say undisturbed.

"Yes, I'll do it," he resolved, and,

having brushed his hat and straightened his tie, he climbed on a bus going westwards. His heart beat more swiftly than usual, but his face was calm. He was even able to listen with a vague interest to the conversation of two men who sat in front of him.

"Yes," said the elder of the two, "it's what I've always said. Every man has a skeleton in his cupboard. Sometimes it's the skeleton of a woman, sometimes of a drunken father, sometimes of a lunatic brother. But there it is, and although he keeps the key of the cupboard in his most carefully buttoned pocket, somebody steals the key at last. That's what happened to poor Bennett."

His companion acquiesced, and then attempted a feeble joke. This led the conversation into a lighter vein, and the subject of skeletons was dropped. On the brain of Kimber, however, the chance words had made an impression. A gleam came into his eyes, and a spot of color glowed in his cheek. His mind worked with feverish energy.

The bus paused at Lancaster Gate. He alighted, and walked swiftly to Westbourne Terrace, where the great man lived. He hesitated for a moment at the door, asking himself whether he should knock or ring, for he was not used to visiting at "swagger" houses. Eventually, with a touch of bravado, he resolved to do both.

A man in quiet livery opened the door.

"Is Mr. Skinner at home?" he asked, boldly.

The servant stared at him, guessing that he was from the office, and accordingly favoring him with the contempt which all right-minded flunkies feel for mere clerks.

"Don't know, I'm sure," he replied, carelessly.

"Then be good enough to inquire," said Kimber, sternly.

The tone was brutal, and produced the desired effect. The man asked him to step inside, and inquired his name.

Kimber took out his card, and wrote on it: "May I see you, sir, for a few minutes on a very urgent matter?"

"You will please give this to Mr. Skinner," he said, "I am sure he will consent to see me if he is at home."

The servant went away, and returned a moment later.

"Just step in here and wait a bit," he observed, as he pointed to a room, the door of which was open.

Kimber obeyed. There was a mirror on the mantelpiece. He walked to it and surveyed himself. Jove! how wonderfully young and well he looked. The years seemed to have rolled from him during the past ten minutes. The dominating impulse which had seized his brain had brightened his eyes, and brought a glow to his cheek. He felt that he was ready to achieve anything. Anything!

"Er—what do you want, Kimber?" asked a voice, rousing him from his reverie. Facing round abruptly, he saw that Skinner had entered the room.

"I took the liberty of calling, sir, in reference to this letter," he replied, as he took the note from his pocket and handed it to his employer.

Skinner read the letter as though he was not aware of the contents.

"Well!" he said, as he returned it, "Well! What about it?"

"I have come here to ask you to reconsider your decision, sir," he answered, "and to tell you that I think you have no right to dismiss me after my long service."

"Indeed! Such things are done every day. You must excuse my saying so, but—er—you are getting a little too old for us. We want younger men."

"Yes, that is what I thought. But, all the same, sir, I don't admit the justice of it. I can do everything that a younger person can do, and perhaps do it better. As to salary, I'm only getting five hundred dollars a year, and I doubt if even a man half my age would take much less."

Skinner shuffled his feet impatiently.

"My good fellow," he said, "I really can't waste time arguing with you about the ethics of commercial efficiency. I suppose I have a right to do as I choose in my own office. Now, be sensible and take your gruel like a man. Otherwise, I may change my mind about furnishing testimonials when you want them!"

Kimber realized that the hour had struck for action. He pulled himself together, and approached his employer.

"Mr. Skinner," he said, "you are an ambitious man. I know that you have just been elected to the directorate of a City Company, and I believe that you contemplate running for Congress at the next election."

Skinner stared at him as though he believed his clerk had suddenly gone mad.

"What the mischief has all that got to do with you and your dismissal?" he asked, abruptly.

"More than you think," replied Kimber, as he fixed his eyes upon the other man with a very acute glance, "much more. For you must remember, Mr. Skinner, that I have been in your office twenty years, and that during that time I have kept my eyes and ears open."

"What do you mean?" Skinner's hands were now engaged with his watch-chain. He was twirling it nervously. A shade of pallor deepened in his heavy face.

"I think," said the other man, coolly, "you can guess what I mean. I don't want to hurt your feelings and to go into needless details. But I dare say you will call to mind that there is a certain circumstance which you would not like to be brought to light, either now or in the future. This is a very censorious country, Mr. Skinner, and people insist on their Congressional representatives having unspotted records, or, at least, records where the spots are decently covered up. Need I say more?"

Skinner did not reply for a moment. Then, with a sudden anger, he burst out:

"So you're going in for blackmail, are you?"

"Pardon me, but I'm doing nothing of the sort. I'm not asking for money. I'm asking for mere justice. All these years I've kept silent, when, if I had liked, I could easily have wrung from you by hinting to you of the exposure which a few words of mine would bring about."

"And had you done so, I should have sent for a policeman," muttered Skinner.

"Hardly, for if so, why don't you ring that bell now, and call in a policeman?" observed Kimber, triumphantly. "I can promise you that I shan't try to escape. But, really, Mr. Skinner, I doubt if you would have been foolish enough to ask for police assistance. There are cases where compromise is the best plan and the safest. This case is one of them."

The two men eyed each other, as though they were measuring their relative strengths. Kimber stood the gaze of his employer unflinchingly. Until that hour, he had never dreamed that he possessed so much courage. The hour had called it forth, and lo, it had come.

"Now, look here," said Skinner, after a pause. "All this may be mere bluff. Where are your poroofs of your absurd statements?"

"The poroofs," replied Kimber, calmly, "lie in the mouth of the person who confided to me the story."

Skinner swayed back, a slight foam on his lips.

"Great heavens!" he gasped, "then she—"

"Yes, she is still alive, and very, very anxious to be kicking as well," returned Kimber, quickly, "but as it happens, she does not know exactly where to find you. I do. Now do you understand?"

Skinner sat down, and buried his face in his hands.

"Confound you," he said, thickly, "I thought it was all over and forgotten."

"Most men do comfort themselves with that belief," observed Kimber, "but they find out their mistake sooner or later. But, believe me, Mr. Skinner, I have no wish to cause you any distress. I have merely referred to the episode to show that I speak of what I know. The skeleton is locked in your cupboard, and I happen to have a key as well as you. That's all. But I don't want to use the key if I can help it."

A pause followed, during which various emotions throbbed through Skinner's poor, sordid little soul. Rage, fear, and surprise held the high place there, and it was easy to see that the words of his clerk had produced a terrible impression.

The clock struck 4.

"I'm afraid," said Kimber, "that I'm taking up too much of your time."

"No, no, wait a moment."

Kimber smiled, and sat down again. Presently his employer looked at him intently.

"Mr. Kimber," he said, and the fact that he used the word "Mr." struck the clerk as being significant, "I suppose that you are not a vindictive man."

"I hope not."

"You cannot really have any grudge against me except that you think you have received an unjust dismissal."

"That is my only grievance."

"Suppose that the dismissal were to be withdrawn, the grudge, I imagine, would be withdrawn also?"

"Of course!"

A deep sigh of relief issued from Mr. Skinner's throat. He rose, and almost smiled.

"Then," he said, "you may consider yourself reinstated."

"Thank you very much, sir."

Kimber reached for his hat and umbrella, and went toward the door.

"One moment," murmured Mr. Skinner, "you told me just now that you were getting five hundred a year. That is certainly not an inflated salary. I think I shall give you the charge of an additional department, and raise the salary to \$750."

"Thank you very much, sir," he said again.

The contemptuous-looking footman showed him out, wondering why the caller smiled so expansively as he went down the steps.

"I should like to know," reflected Kimber, as he climbed on his bus, "what Skinner's skeleton really is?"—Black and White.

# Smiles of The Day

**Not to Be Relied Upon.**  
"Why is an automobile like a woman?" asked the comedian boarder. The cynical bachelor was thoughtful. "Because it is so expensive." "Good, but not the right answer." "Ah, now I have it. Because it has wheels?" "Uncomplimentary, but not correct." "Because it is always running people down." "Unkind, but away off." "Well I give it up. Why is an automobile like a woman?" "Because it needs every attention and after you give it every attention it is liable to blow you up without a minute's notice."

**The Bachelor Brand.**  
"I don't believe you have a heart," remarked the leap year girl, who had failed to win out.  
"Oh, yes, I have," replied the hardened bachelor. "My physician tells me I have a tobacco heart."—Chicago News.



**Slightly Mixed.**  
Teacher—What is a veteran?  
Susie—A-a horse doctor.

**Real Tony.**  
"Any improvement in the checker playing since I was here last year?" asked the coffee drummer.  
"Well, I should say so, stranger," drawled the old storekeeper; "the old fogies have got so tony they call it a game of 'chequers' instead of checkers."

**Later than Horseshoes.**  
Stubb—Cogwood is certainly up to date with his superstitions. I thought he was going to hang a horseshoe over his door.  
Penn—And did he?  
Stubb—No, he hung an automobile tire.

**A Queer Woman.**  
Giles—My wife is a queer woman.  
Miles—Indeed!  
Giles—Yes. Why, when she has occasion to drive a tack she uses a hammer instead of a hairbrush.

**Why She Worried.**  
Husband—What is worrying you, dear?  
Wife—I'm worried because I can't find out anything about our new neighbors to worry over.

**Satisfaction Guaranteed.**  
"Ye know Shim Hicks sent 10 cents in stamps to a fellow what advertised 'How to make big feet look small.'"  
"Yep."  
"Well, th' feller wrote back to look at 'em through op'ry glasses turned wrong side tow."—Kansas City Times.

**Breakage.**  
"Why do you want more laws?" asked the obstructionist. "Haven't we had more than enough for all practical purposes?"  
"Well," answered the cautious statesman, "you must remember that the breakage of laws has been very great of late."—Exchange.

**Very Thirsty.**  
Foreman—Where are you two going?  
Workman—Down to the sawmill to get a plank sawed.  
Foreman—Where's the plank?  
Workman (to assistant)—Well, Bill, what do you think of that? Here we've gone and clean forgotten to take the plank!

**Twins Lifted.**  
City Cousin—Now, you farmers don't have the trouble of house hunting like city folks.  
Kansas Uncle—Don't, eh? Well, I've been hunting for a house that the cyclone carried away for two years, and I haven't found it yet.

**From Another Viewpoint.**  
"Anyway," said her husband, "you'll give me credit for having sense enough to say nothing."  
"Oh, I don't know," rejoined his wife. "Perhaps you haven't sense enough to say anything."

**Precaution.**  
Miss Ann Teek—He's a good-looking horse, but is he easily frightened?  
Dealer—No, mum; but perhaps you'd better not get round in front of him.

**Different Points of View.**  
Mr. Acker—What! You want a new bonnet? Why, I think the one you have is very becoming.  
Mrs. Acker—Yes, and so do the neighbors. They think it is becoming very ancient and decrepit.

**Two Hopes.**  
Mrs. Firmface—John, I hope I didn't see you smiling at that girl!  
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**Terrible, Indeed.**  
"What is the news, John?" asked Mrs. Stubb, as she cleared away the supper dishes.  
"Why, just listen to this, Maria," replied Mr. Stubb, hiding his face behind the paper, "'Man Tears His Wife's Eyes Out.'"  
Mrs. Stubb almost dropped the dishes.  
"Horrible!" she gasped. "And was the monster caught?"  
"Yes, his finger was caught. You see, he was trying to hook up his wife's waist in the back when his clumsy fingers tore out three of the eyes."—Chicago News.

**The Donator.**  
"Why don't you do something for literature?" asked Mr. Sirius Barker.  
"I have helped to put up some of the finest library buildings in the country," answered Mr. Dustin Stax.  
"That's architecture, not literature,"—Washington Star.

**In the Muddy Road.**  
First Autoist—Did your new automobile go fast?  
Second Autoist—No; it stuck fast.

**Of More Importance.**  
"I see by this paper," remarked the typewriter boarder, "that a society woman in St. Louis has started a conversation class for the purpose of teaching young men how to talk."  
"A class for the purpose of teaching young women how to listen would be of far more importance," growled the fussy bachelor.

**Not Entirely Indifferent.**  
Friend—You don't care how many people have to hang on to the straps.  
Railroad Magnate—Oh! yes, we do. It makes considerable wear and tear on the straps.

**A Wifely Scheme.**  
"Why nag your husband so about that carpet? He has agreed to beat it."  
"Well, if he's thoroughly irritated he'll make a much better job."—Exchange.

**At the Circus.**  
"That fellow growled like a dog when I spoke to him."  
"That's natural, he's barker for one of the side shows."—Houston Post.

**The Usual Way.**  
"How do you expect to spend your vacation this year?"  
"Judging from the number of people my wife has invited to visit us at our cottage, by sleeping on the floor as usual."—Detroit Free Press.

**Moral 'Suasion.**  
"Does your husband want a job, Mrs. Brown?"  
"No; but if you've got one for him, I'll make him take it."

**Natural Supposition.**  
"That man has been perfectly bald for ten years and look at the luxuriant head of hair he is getting."  
"How long has he been separated from his wife?"—Houston Post.

**A Boomerang.**  
"Ha! ha!" laughed the suburban chump, "I had my watch stolen to-day."  
"I shouldn't consider that a laughing matter," said his neighbor.  
"Ah! but the old thing runs slow and just think how mad the thief will be when he misses his train by it!"—Philadelphia Press.

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"He's perfectly lovely to her," said the man's wife.  
"Humph!" said the man.  
"Well, he is. Ellen says he's just a model."  
"Fine!"  
"She's certainly lucky—a great deal more than most women are. He doesn't belong to a single club, Ellen says. He did, but he gave them all up when he got married. He said he was going to make his home a club."

"How noble of him!" said the man.  
"You may sneer," said his wife, "but I think it was sweet of him. I know some men who make their clubs their homes."

"Some clubs are pretty comfortable." "Yours must be."

"It is. If you were only there I'd never leave it."

"I suppose not," said the man's wife, smiling a little nevertheless. "But he must be splendid. Ellen says he doesn't smoke or drink anything, and she was there a week, and she never saw so much as an irritated look on his face, and there were times when the meals were simply awful. She remarked it to Grace, and Grace said he was always that way."

"Marvelous!" said the man.  
"Well, it really is, because I know how exasperating Grace can be at times. Whatever she does he thinks is exactly right. He never finds fault with her. If she wants him to do anything for her he does it without a murmur, and he's awfully handy. Once when they were without help he scrubbed all the floors and did the sweeping all the time. He would have cooked, too, if Grace had let him; but he did all the rough, hard work. And he'll sew a button on his clothes any time."

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"There is no baby, but if there was he would. Why shouldn't he?"  
"That's the question. Why not?"  
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"Am I to understand by this that you want a fur set?"  
"You know perfectly well that I don't. If I did it wouldn't be much use hinting. If I got it when I asked for it I should be lucky."

"You certainly would," admitted the man.  
"Well, I've got one, anyway, and I suppose I'll have to make it do. But don't you think Grace is a fortunate girl?"

"I'm sure I don't know," said the man. "Don't they ever quarrel?"  
"Quarrel!" exclaimed his wife. "Didn't I tell you just now that he never uttered a cross or impatient word?"  
"You didn't say anything about Grace."

"It takes two to make a quarrel, doesn't it?"  
"Not when you're married. It takes only one then. I don't suppose it's quite as satisfactory to a woman if she can't get her husband to lose his temper. You say he doesn't. Then I should say that Grace was rather unfortunate in her choice. It must be horribly monotonous for her. You wouldn't like it if you couldn't make me mad. You'd miss half the fun, and you know it. Own up, now! Would you want me hanging around the house all the time and doing the family ironing? Wouldn't you want to get rid of me one or two evenings in the week, and how would you know whether the meal was good if I didn't kick when it was bad?"

"Well," said the man's wife, "I don't know that I should want to have you too good, because you might die young, and I don't want you to die just yet. But—"

"What is it?" asked the man.  
"Of course, darling, if you did want to get me that set of furs it would be just as cheap in the end, because I'll have to have them next winter, anyway."—Chicago Daily News.

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Animals accommodate themselves in many ways to the altered conditions of life when human beings trespass upon their wild haunts. The coming of the railroad into savage countries has been followed, says the author of "Animal Artisans," by the development of a real railway fauna, composed of a wide variety of birds and beasts which find their living along the tracks.

Perhaps no more remarkable instance of this is known than is reported by Dr. Vaughan Cornish, an English scholar, who spent some time in northwestern Canada, studying the forms of snow and snow-waves. Dr. Cornish found that the wolves and coyotes, which formerly followed herds of buffalo or camps of travelers across the prairies, picking off stray animals and getting the refuse from the camps, had become modernized into hangers-on of the railway companies.

Every thorough continental train carried one or more dining cars, in which is produced much waste, which is thrown out at the cleaning-up time after each meal. This the animals learned, and they haunt the line in localities where the garbage is usually thrown out, to get the broken bread, bones and trimmings.

Sometimes Dr. Cornish would see a gray wolf, the very personification of cold and famine, sitting by a sage-brush in the drift of snow powder lifted by the icy morning wind, his sharp nose sharply uplifted, waiting for the sun to warm him and the dining car to bring him a beef bone for breakfast.

On the Siberian railroad jackals and foxes follow the through trains for the same purpose.

In England there are many instances of the same thing. There are sections of the country where every morning the foxes hunt along the railway beneath the telegraph line, seeking the birds that have been killed in the night or early morning. A great number of small birds of many sorts meet their death every day by striking against the wires, and a fox who hunts over three or four miles seldom goes hungry.

On the Isle of Wight, in at least one location where the railway passes along the shore, the company has been forced to hang metal disks along the telegraph wires, to attract the attention of the wild swans, which formerly ran into the wires in large numbers; and even in spite of this device many are killed there.

Between London and the British channel there are certain localities where passengers bound for the continent eat their luncheons and throw away the fragments. One of these is in a thick undergrowth, and the partridges there have acquired a habit of hunting the line. They have become so familiar with trains that they will scarcely step aside to let them pass.

In another locality, where frogs breed on one side of the road and commonly migrate across the tracks to the other in large numbers, crows have established a nesting, and live upon the frogs which they catch between the tracks.

Perhaps the oddest of all such incidents is reported from Mauritius, where railways have been installed to carry sugar-cane from the fields to the mills. Monkeys, learning of the practice, used to set out sentinels to give warning when a train was approaching a certain grade where it was forced to slow up, and the whole tribe would leap upon the cars and throw off cane until the top of the hill was reached. A special guard had to be set to keep these "hold-up" animals from the road.

## SCENES SKETCHED BY WHISTLER

Delightful River Trip From London to Chelsea and Greenwich.

There are so many delightful trips to be taken on the Thames, that if time is limited it is better to choose the important ones—say Greenwich and Chelsea at least. To be sure they are both only districts of London, and Greenwich may be reached by train or Chelsea by bus, in half an hour. But to go by boat on a pleasant morning, with good company, is nice, since it will likely dispel from your mind some of the weird impressions made there by Dickens, for who that has read "Our Mutual Friend" does not associate the Thames with Lizzie Haxam.

The Royal observatory is, of course, the reward for going to Greenwich. Where you may see the clock that sets the pace for the world, although it may prove something of an enigma to the novice. The beautiful Grecian palace with its wonderful terraces along the river further repays one, and is interesting as the birthplace of Henry VIII, Queen Elizabeth and Queen Mary.

Along the river Chelsea way, are the originals of many of Whistler's etchings, including Battersea bridge, which was a particular favorite of his. And the interior of the wheelwright's shop, often reproduced, is but a short distance from his Chelsea studio, where he died. Chelsea is full of ghosts of great people. George Eliot spent the last part of her life in a house situated only a short distance from Whistler's. Ellen Terry now occupies a house there, and John Sargent's London studio is in Chelsea.—Los Angeles Times.

**Sound and Sense.**

"I suppose you would describe the novel to which you object as brilliant but erratic?"

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## THE ETERNAL FEMININE.

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### Calculated for Himself.

As belittled a man of science, Lord Kelvin was courageous in the extreme, and there was a little known story of him worthy of being placed by the side of the famous anecdotes of Nasmyth, the inventor of the steam hammer, who placed his hand under the mighty weight to show that it could be made to come down gently and remain just above his palm.

This story gains point by the fact that Nasmyth first placed his watch underneath, and by a little miscalculation it was smashed to pieces.

Lord Kelvin once told his class that while an electric shock of 3,000 volts or so would kill a man, a voltage of 300,000 would be harmless. He coolly proceeded to illustrate the fact on himself, but the students cried in horror: "Don't; try it on a dog!" The great scientist looked reproachfully at the class and quietly remarked, "Didn't I figure it out myself?" and then turned the tremendous current into himself.—Kansas City Star.

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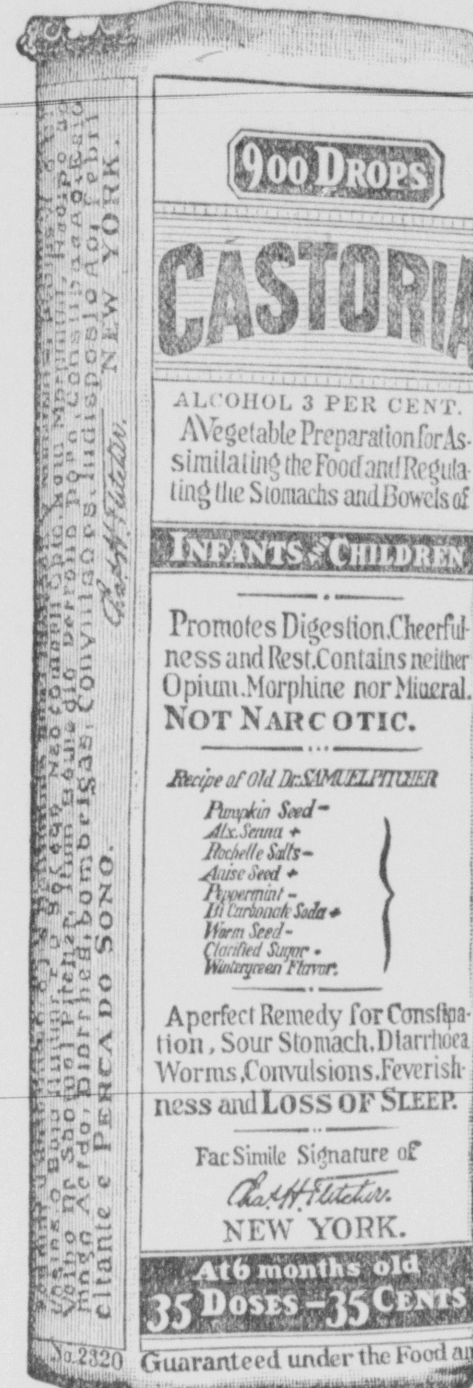
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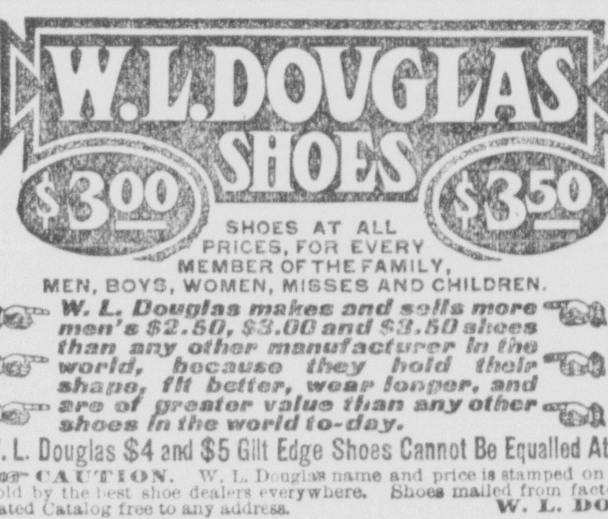
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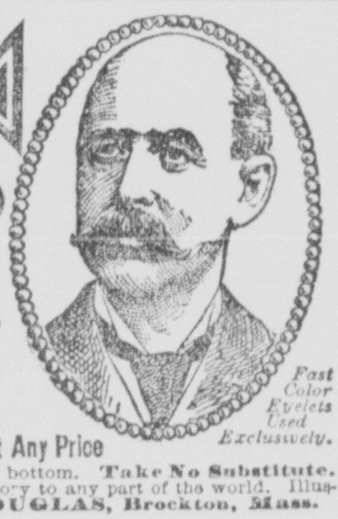
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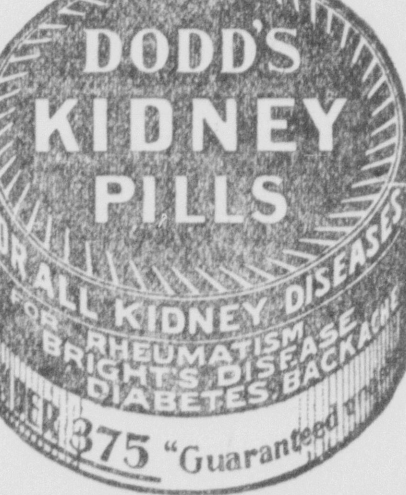
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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JUNE 21, 1908

REVIEW

GOLDEN TEXT.—But these things are written that ye might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing, ye might have life through his name.—John 20: 31.

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LESSON I.—Jesus, the Good Shepherd, John xi, 1-18. Golden Text, John x, ii, "The Good Shepherd giveth His life for the sheep." He is the shepherd who owns the sheep, having bought them with His precious blood; He cares for them, leads them to green pastures, seeks them when they go astray. They have nothing they can call their own but Himself, and all they are and have is His—their wool, their skin, their whole being. He is also the fold, wherein they are absolutely safe from all evil, and He is the door, the only way to God, and He is God.

LESSON II.—The raising of Lazarus, John xi, 1-57. Golden Text, John xi, 25, "I am the resurrection and the life." Here at Bethany were a few sheep He dearly loved, for those who keep nearest to the shepherd are apt to have choice pasture. We must hold fast (verse 5) and read all the events in that light. "God is love" (I John iv, 8-16) and "Love is kind" (I Cor. xiii, 4) are foundation truths, and in the light of the kingdom and the glory and the best interests of each member of that family divine love and wisdom were seeking their highest good.

LESSON III.—Jesus anointed at Bethany, John xii, 1-11. Golden Text, I John iv, 19, "We love Him because He first loved us." The joy of resurrection had come to that home, as it will in due time come to all His redeemed, and then shall we understand the significance of His words, "That ye may eat and drink at My table in My kingdom" (Luke xxii, 30). As truly as He fulfilled Zech. ix, 9, by His entry to Jerusalem after this supper at Bethany so shall He fulfill the whole of Zech. xiv in all literalness of detail.

LESSON IV.—Jesus teaches humility, John xiii, 1-20. Golden Text, John xiii, 34, "A new commandment I give unto you—that ye love one another as I have loved you." The lamb is suggestive of meekness and humility. He said of Himself, "I am meek and lowly in heart" (Matt. xi, 29), and here He says, "I have given you an example." It may be that the reason why none of them offered to do the foot washing was that they had not love enough one for the other to do this lowly service; therefore His new commandment.

LESSON V.—Our heavenly home, John xiv, 1-14. Golden Text, John xiv, 2, "In My Father's house are many mansions." The home from which He came down to earth was very real to Him, and He would have it real to them and to us, that we might not be troubled by the tribulations here (verse 27 and xvi, 33), but have confidence in

Him and in His Father, and let them make our bodies their home temples in which the Father, Son and Spirit may dwell (I, 23).

LESSON VI.—The mission of the Holy Spirit, John xvi, 4-15. Golden Text, John xiv, 16, "I will pray the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter, that He may abide with you forever." In His absence He has sent us the very one who lived in Himself, that He may live His life and work His works in us to the glory of God and through us as witnesses convince the world of sin and righteousness and judgment.

LESSON VII.—Jesus betrayed and denied, John xviii, 1-27. Golden Text, Matt. xvii, 22, "Jesus said unto them, the Son of Man shall be betrayed into the hands of men." The Son of God became the Son of Man that men might become sons of God, yet see their treatment of Him when they get Him in their power by His consent, for without His consent they could not have touched Him.

LESSON VIII.—Jesus' death and burial, John xix, 17-42. Golden Text, I Cor. xv, 3, "Christ died for our sins, according to the Scriptures." Gather up the many words of Scripture concerning this greatest and most awful event in history, such as "He was made sin," "He bare our sins," "He was made a curse for us," "He was delivered for our offenses," and many more, and let your heart say always "For me." "He loved me and gave Himself for me."

LESSON IX.—Jesus risen from the dead, John xx, 1-18. Golden Text, Rev. i, 18, "I am He that liveth and was dead, and behold I am alive for evermore." He showed Himself alive after His passion by many infallible proofs (Acts i, 3), and, He being risen and ascended, for God raised Him from the dead and gave Him glory (I Pet. i, 21), we who receive Him are crucified with Him, risen with Him, and our affections are on things above, where He is.

LESSON X.—Jesus appears to the apostles, John xx, 19-31. Golden Text, John xx, 28, "Thomas answered and said unto Him, My Lord and my God." At His birth the angels sang "Peace on earth," and among His last words are these: "Peace I leave with you; My peace I give unto you" (xiv, 27), while His oft repeated resurrection word is, "Peace be unto you" (verses 19, 21, 26).

LESSON XI.—The risen Christ by the sea of Galilee, John xxi, 1-25. Golden Text, Matt. xxviii, 20, "Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world." Although now unseen by mortal eyes, He is ever with us, and His Spirit is in us, and we must rely upon Him in everything lest we be unfruitful and accomplish only "nothings."

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## TICKET MADE UP

Congressman Sherman of New York Named as Running Mate of Mr. Taft.

WELL NIGH UNANIMOUS

Of the 980 Votes In the Convention the New Yorker Received 816 Amid Scenes of Enthusiasm.

Interesting Feature of Closing Day Was the Heart Felt Ovation to "Uncle Joe" Cannon.

WILLIAM H. TAFT of Ohio. JAMES S. SHERMAN of New York.

Chicago, June 20.—The above is the ticket of the Republican party flung to the breeze Friday as the Republican national convention concluded with the nomination of James S. Sherman of New York for vice president amid a final roar of tumultuous demonstration. Again the vast assembly was swept with wave on wave of wild, exultant clamor, as the multitude, realizing that at last the work was done and the record made up on which the Republican party goes before the country, united in one last mighty outburst of enthusiastic tribute to the men who will bear forward the standard in the struggle now at hand.

Another inspiring picture was presented as the convention named its candidate for vice president. The enormous throngs had waited through an hour of oratory, sweltering in the heat-laden atmosphere, packed as before into solid masses of humanity, with only here and there a few vacant spots in the remote gallery—the delegates in the broad arena below, the bright-lined lines of femininity in the circling galleries, and over all the



CONGRESSMAN SHERMAN OF NEW YORK.

enveloping folds of "Old Glory." From the outset it was distinctly a Sherman crowd, with galleries already trained into choruses of Sherman songs and an invading host of Sherman marchers starting the echoes ringing, with a huge portrait of the New York candidate. Among the early arrivals on the floor was Speaker Cannon, a pillar of strength in the Sherman movement. The widespread affection for the old war-horse of the party was shown by the crowds of delegates surging about him to grasp his hand and bid him welcome.

The preliminaries were brief, and at 10:30 the nominating speeches for vice president began with a limit of ten minutes to each speaker. On the call of states Delaware yielded to New York, and ex-Lieutenant Governor Timothy L. Woodruff mounted the platform for a glowing speech placing in nomination Sherman as New York's choice for the vice presidency. Now came a surprise, as the venerable Cannon, with his Lincoln-like visage and shaggy beard, emerged from the Illinois delegation, and stepping to the platform, was yielded unanimous consent to second the nomination of Sherman. Such a picture of sturdy, homely, plain American citizenship as Cannon presented, as he advanced before the throng which rose to do him homage, has seldom been seen before a national convention. His serious face was beaded with sweat, his collar had melted to a rag which hung limp about his neck. His vest was thrown wide open, exposing a crumpled shirt, and the sleeves of his black alpaca coat curled up above his dangling cuffs to his elbows as his waving arms emphasized his ringing words for his colleague and friend—James S. Sherman of New York.

From the outbursts of enthusiasm which greeted every mention of Sherman's name it was plain that the mind of the convention had been made up and that the decision was only to be recorded. But for a moment there was a halt in the Sherman movement, as Senator Lodge, leaving the presiding officer's chair, advanced to nominate Governor Guild of Massachusetts for the vice presidency. The senator's voice was strained with the exertions of recent days, but he spoke eloquently and forcibly for the Massachusetts candidate.

Michigan, through Charles F. Osborn, added her voice for Guild and

New Jersey brought forward her favorite son in a speech by Thomas N. McCarter, nominating ex-Governor Murphy of New Jersey for the second place on the ticket.

The steady advance of the Sherman movement now began again, as state after state fell into line—North Carolina, in a ringing speech from the floor by Harry Skinner; Oklahoma by Dennis T. Flynn; Pennsylvania by Congressman Myron Olmsted; Tennessee by H. Clay Evans; Virginia by C. H. Slemp.

Now began the vote, taken amid confusion at first, which increased as the totals climbed upward to the nominating point. The result was never in doubt as the totals of states were heaped one upon another. There were scattering votes, but the great body of delegates swelled the total for Sherman until it touched 816. With keen appreciation of the effect of climax, Chairman Lodge announced the result, reserving Sherman's huge total until the last.

"Vice President Fairbanks, 1 vote; Governor Sheldon of Nebraska, 10 votes; Governor Curtis Guild of Massachusetts, 75 votes; Governor Murphy of New Jersey, 77 votes, and James Schoolcraft Sherman of New York, 816 votes."

Again the floodgates of wild enthusiasm were let loose as floor and gallery joined in a pandemonium of demonstration for the nominee.

The nominations completed, final details were now quickly perfected—committee from the various states to wait upon the candidates for president and vice president and formally notify them of the action of the convention in nominating them; prospective meetings of the national committee to perfect plans for the coming campaign; and thanks and congratulations to the Chicagoans who had given a convention of such perfect equipment. And then, just before noon, amid cheers still echoing and the inspiring strains of the national anthem, the national convention finally adjourned and the multitude dispersed.

### SENTENCED TO DEATH

Mrs. Mary Farmer of Watertown Must Go to Electric Chair.

Watertown, N. Y., June 20.—Guilty of murder in the first degree was the verdict of the jury in the case of Mrs. Mary Farmer, charged with the killing of Mrs. Sarah Brennan. The jury was out three hours. Justice Rogers sentenced Mrs. Farmer to be electrocuted at Auburn prison during the week beginning Aug. 2.

The crime for which Mrs. Farmer, who is thirty-nine years old, was convicted, was most fiendish. Her victim, Mrs. Brennan, who was fifty-five years old, was her neighbor and intimate friend, and the motive was to gain possession of the Brennan home, deeds of which Mrs. Farmer had forged in October. The crime was committed April 23. Mrs. Brennan was hacked to pieces with a hatchet and her body stuffed into a trunk.

Mrs. Farmer's husband is also under indictment on a charge of murder in the first degree as accessory to the crime.

### Murder or Suicide?

New Philadelphia, Ohio, June 20.—The bodies of Miss Arline Kulsely, fifteen years old, and Charles Stach, fifty years old, were found late last night in the city park. Both had been shot in the back of the head. The police say Stach managed a moving picture show at Akron, while the girl acted as his cashier. Whether the tragedy was the result of a suicide pact or the couple had been murdered, the officers have not determined.

### Baseball Scores.

National League.—At Brooklyn, 3; Pittsburgh, 2. At Boston, 3; St. Louis, 6. At Philadelphia, 0; Cincinnati, 5. At New York, 6; Chicago, 3.

American League.—At Chicago, 6; Boston, 4. At St. Louis, 4; New York, 0.

American Association.—At Kansas City, 1; Columbus, 3. At Minneapolis, 1; Toledo, 15. At St. Paul, 5; Louisville, 11.

### MARKET QUOTATIONS

Prevailing Current Prices for Grain and Livestock.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock. Wheat—Wagon, 85c; No. 2 red, 86c. Corn—No. 2, 70½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 51c. Hay—Clover, \$9.00@10.00; timothy, \$9.00@10.00; mixed, \$7.00@10.00. Cattle—\$3.50@7.75. Hogs—\$4.00@5.90. Sheep—\$3.00@4.50. Lambs—\$4.50@5.50. Receipts—10,000 hogs; 2,000 cattle; 600 sheep.

At Cincinnati. Wheat—No. 2 red, 91½c. Corn—No. 2, 73c. Oats—No. 2, 54c. Cattle—\$2.25@6.65. Hogs—\$3.75@5.85. Sheep—\$2.25@4.50. Lambs—\$4.00@6.85.

At Chicago. Wheat—No. 2 red, 92½c. Corn—No. 3, 73½c. Oats—No. 3, 51c. Cattle—Steers, \$5.50@8.40; stockers and feeders, \$3.25@5.40. Hogs—\$3.75@5.95. Sheep—\$3.50@5.25. Lambs—\$5.00@6.00.

New York Livestock. Cattle—\$3.75@7.65. Hogs—\$4.00@6.20. Sheep—\$3.50@5.00. Lambs—\$6.00@7.50.

At East Buffalo. Cattle—\$4.50@7.80. Hogs—\$3.50@6.05. Sheep—\$3.00@5.25. Lambs—\$5.00@6.25.

Wheat at Toledo. July, 88½c; Sept., 87½c; cash, 91c.

## LOSING NO TIME

National Committee Talking Things Over With Mr. Taft Today.

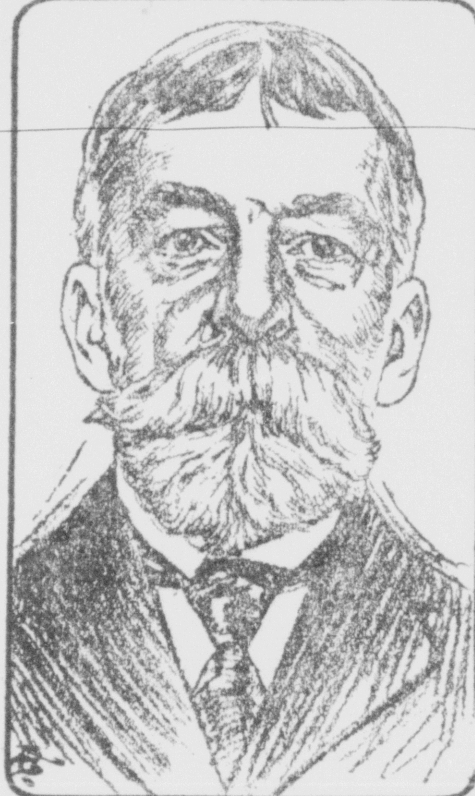
MEETING AT CINCINNATI

Sub-Committee of the National Committee Given Authority to Ratify the Wishes of the Nominee.

Choice Seems to Lie Between Hitchcock and Vorys—Capt. New Not a Candidate.

Cincinnati, June 20.—Eight members of the Republican national committee arrived here today to confer with Secretary Taft concerning the election of a national chairman to manage the Republican campaign. The sub-committee was appointed at the suggestion of Secretary Taft, who is said to be somewhat embarrassed by appeals from his friends in Ohio for the appointment of Arthur I. Vorys or of Myron T. Herrick of that state, and by the demand made in a petition by a majority of the members of the national committee for the appointment of Frank H. Hitchcock. The latter, because of his success in the Taft campaign for delegates, is being strongly pushed by his friends, while those who are personally attached to Mr. Vorys have announced that they intend to make every possible effort in his behalf. Congressman James S. Sherman of New York, who was nominated for vice president, accompanied the sub-committee to Cincinnati.

The train on which Secretary of War Taft came to his home town from the national capital, arrived here at 8:05 this morning, forty minutes later than the train from Chicago on which



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his brother, Charles P. Taft, and others came from the national Republican convention that named the secretary to lead the Republican presidential campaign next fall. Charles P. Taft remained at the station until the arrival of his brother, and then escorted the latter to his home, where they had breakfast. Later in the day the sub-committee from the national Republican committee met with the secretary.

No formal welcome home for the secretary had been prepared, and such greeting as was given when his train arrived was of an informal sort. It is understood that later in the summer local Democrats will give him a reception, intending it to be entirely free from political feeling and as a simple expression of their personal friendliness for a prominent son of Cincinnati.

The men who are today conferring with Secretary Taft on the chairmanship question are Powell Clayton of Arkansas; Myron T. Herrick, Ohio; Frank B. Kellogg, Minnesota; Charles Nagel, Missouri; E. E. Hart, Iowa; Senator W. E. Borah, Idaho; E. C. Duncan, North Carolina, and Frank O. Lowden, Illinois.

The sub-committee was selected when the new national committee met for organization immediately after the adjournment of the convention. Friends of Hitchcock insist that more than half of the eight members will vote to elect him chairman, while the advocates of Vorys say that five members favor the election of the latter, or of some man other than Mr. Hitchcock. It is conceded, however, that the chairmanship depends absolutely upon the wishes of Mr. Taft, who has not publicly expressed any preference. Nevertheless he has indicated that the question is one of practical politics and that no selection will be made for sentimental reasons.

That the sub-committee is empowered to select a chairman and a treasurer, was asserted by Myron T. Herrick. Any choice Secretary Taft may express will be accepted. That he will indicate preferences for chairman and treasurer is not doubted, but it is likely that a meeting of the full committee will be called to fill these positions in the event that Mr. Taft does not express a preference.

General Powell Clayton was chosen to act as chairman until a permanent official is named.



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